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SCHOOL CODE PROVIDES NO DISCOUNT FOR TAXES

Prompt Payment Does Not Win 5 Per Cent Deduction

THREE MONTHS AT FACE

Five Per Cent is Added if Taxes Are Not Forthcoming in Limited Time

When property owners come to pay their local taxes this year they will receive a severe jolt. Instead of getting the customary 5 per cent rebate for payment during the first three months after the duplicate is received by Collector J. W. Mathias, they will be informed that they must pay their school taxes at face value. Then if the txpayer thinks he will wait six months, the limit before a penalty is added, as he used to do in case he missed paying in time to get the rebate, he will be informed by the urbane collector that if his school tax is not paid by October 1 a penalty of 5 per cent will be added.

This is the provision of the new school code enacted by the last Legislature and approved by Governor Tener, which is now in effect. By its provision the rebate for prompt payment is abolished, and all taxes for school purposes must be paid at face value. The time for penalizing has also been shortened, and 5 per cent is added to all school taxes not paid before October 1. The duplicate is also placed in the hands of the collector. July 1, a month earlier than under the provisions of the old law. The taxpayer has three months in which to pay taxes at face—July August and September.

Under the old law the collector received the duplicate August 1, and all who paid their school taxes during August and September got a 5 per cent rebate. From October 1 to February 1 taxes were collected at face and after that a penalty of 5 per cent was added. As the 5 per cent rebate made a discount worth looking after, the most of the large taxpayers invariably took advantage of it.

According to Ira L. Nickeson, secretary of the borough school board the school and building tax assessed on the present valuation at 15 mills, the levy of last year would amount to $49,254.52. Under the old law if this were all paid during the first two months after the tax duplicate was received the 5 per cent rebate would amount to $2,462. As a matter of fact only between $25,000 and $30,000 is usually paid in time to get the rebate, so that the saving to the taxpayers from this source amounted to about $1,500 at the outside. One of the heaviest taxpayers is the Pittsburg Plate Glass company, which is assessed $200,000. With the millage of last year its savings by taking advantage of the rebate would be $150. Should the borough board fix the school and building the tax the same this year as last, the Plate Glass company's school tax will be increased $150. The Macbeth-Evans Glass company's assesment is $75,000; that of the Hussy-Binns Shovel company $65,000, and the Charleroi Brewery $50,000. At the same millage as last year the increase in taxation to these concerns will also be considerable, and every other property holder's tax will be increased in proportion

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Miners Picnic is Postponed

National President John P. White Unable to Come on Data Set

Owing to the fact. that John P White, national president of the Mine Workers, was unable to come either on June 28 or June 26, dates set for the holding of the Miner's picnic, the picnic has been postponed until in July. The affair was to have been held at Eldora Park and elaborate preparations were being made by a committee of miners. It was planned to have a number of other national and district officials here in addition to President White. The mines were to be closed.

REPORT IS MADE FOR MAY

Much Mail Handled at Postoffice During Month

INCOMING MAIL IS LARGE

Postmaster J. E. McCardle has completed his report as required of the business handled at the Charleroi postoffice and has sent it to the postoffice department at Washington, D. C. A summary of it shows that the business done at the local postoffice compares well with that done at other towns of a similar size to Charleroi.

The report of the number of pieces handled by carriers during the month follows:

	Outgoing	Incoming
First class	18,865	53,233
Second class	43	22,182
Third class	377	11,987
Fourth class	23	644
Foreign letters	173	1,431
Registered	3	170
Miscellaneous	16	403
Total	19,500	90,050

The report of the number of pieces

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DOUGLAS COLLEGE TO HOLD PICNIC

Invitations have been issued by the Douglas College for the first annual picnic to be held at Eldora Park on Wednesday, June 14. All who ever attended the local school are invited. The outing will take the form of a basket picnic.

J. M. Fleming's garden hose is guaranteed for two years. 254tf

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

It Developes Character

to save money, and prompt deposits in the Bank soon form a habit which will be found so valuable later in life. Do not delay so important a matter.

Start an account to-day with the First National Bank.

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

FAYETTE GRAND JURY APPROVES BRIDGE SITE

Washington County Body to Meet Next Week to Consider Matter of Building West Brownsville Structure

OBJECTIONS ARE FILED BY THE BRIDGE COMPANY

Clarifying the situation for Washington county's grand ury to meet on Monday for special consideration of a proposed bridge at West Brownsville the Fayette county grand jury Friday approved the old site between South Brownsville and West Brownsville. This was after they had received exceptions filed by the old bridge company and private property owners at the Fayette county end of the proposed bridge.

The proposed bridge will cost probably $250,000 or $300,000, the burden of which will have to be borne by taxpayers of the two counties. The famous million dollar grand jury which at Washington during May approved at wholesale rate schemes doped out by the county commissioners for spending the people's money far into the future in road building, did nothing with the bridge matter at that time, but held up action until this month. No exceptions have been filed to the report of the viewers appointed for Washington county.

The Monongahela Bridge company protested against the old site being chosen in Fayette county under a charter of 1834, claiming that its property is being illegally confiscated. Objecting property owners claim that a new bridge will greatly damage Bridge street in South Brownsville.

HEISEY ELLIOTT WEDS THIS WEEK

Former Charleroi Baseball Player and Miss Crombie Are Married

Augustus Heisey Elliott and Miss Maul Arnett Crombie were married Thursday evening of this week at 8:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride near Fayette City in the presence of a large number of invited guests, by Rev. W. E. Howard. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served. Mr. Elliott is a son of Mrs. Dora Elliot and his wife is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Crombie, both families being prominent socially in the Fayette City and Little Redstone communities. The happy couple will be at home to their friends after an extensive wedding trip.

The groom was formerly a ball player of minor leagues and played at one time with Charleroi.

JUVENILE COURT BENEFIT SUCCESS

Charity "500" Is Well Attended and Neat Sum is Realized

The "500" party given by the local Juvenile Court committee at the Elks Home Friday afternoon was largely attended. A number of tables were in play and pretty favors were awarded the winners. In view of the good work done by the committee in caring for delinquent juveniles the affair was liberally patronized by the business people and residents generally. Nearly all who were approached bought tickets, and a snug sum was realized.

"BOB' NEWTON BACK FROM OHIO STATE

"Bob" Newton, who has been playing third base for Lima, Ohio, in the Ohio State League, is home. Newton played good ball for Lima while he was there and was touted by the Lima papers as one of the comers.

For Sale.

8 room house on lot 150x60 feet on Lookout avenue between 6th and 7th streets. Inquire Max Rossomme, 610 Lookout avenue. 255-2w-tf

The beautiful Western scenery is shown in the Great Indian Drama Monday afternoon and evening at the Star theatre. 260t1

An Electric Flat Iron will be given away by the West Penn Electric Co. Look in the window at 528 Fallowfield avenue for particulars. 259t4

ALUMNI ARRANGE FOR A BANQUET

Douglas College Graduates to Hold Annual Affair Latter Part of Month

Arrangements are being made by the Douglas College Alumni Association for their annual banquet and reception to be held on Thursday June 22. At a meeting of the association on Friday night an executive committee consisting of Miss May Barth, Miss Margaret Miller, Miss Alice Gillingham and Paul Ryland was appointed to look after the matter. A committee consisting of John Robinson, George Giles and John Kline was appointed to act with Principal M. Adams in drawing up a constitution.

Plays at Vandergrift.

The Charleroi Independent team of which John McIlvaine is manager is playing at Vandergrift today, in the Independent Association.

WILL ESTABLISH SWIMMING POOL

Donora Will Take up Ordinance Providing for Place at Next Meeting

The Donora council will establish a swimming pool and regulate its use. An ordinance to this effect will be presented at next the meeting of council. Hours will be established for bathing under police regulatins, with an officer on duty to enforce the rules and protect the boys from danger of drowning.

WILL DEDICATE PITTSBURG HOME

Local people are interested in the dedication of the Frances Campbell Hamilton Memorial Home for the aged on Thursday afternoon, June 15 This institution is located in Pittsburg On the same date the Board of Managers will hild their first annual reception and donation day. The reception will follow the dedication service. In the evening there will be "open house" with a program of music. All are invited to attend and inspect the Home and its working.

Belle Vernon's Tax 15 Mills.

Belle Vernon school board Thursday night reorganized by the re-election of Dr. G. E. Nickel as president and J. A. Wilson as secetary. The tax levy was made 11 mills for school and 4 mills for sinking fund. Last year it was 10 and 5. School will open on August 28.

Demonstration

Ladies to travel and sell house to house.

Call Room 33,
Wellington Hotel.
259t1

TEACHERS ARE ELECTED FOR CHARLEROI SCHOOLS

Instructors for Various Buildings Are Selected

CHANGE IN PRINCIPALS

New Ones Chosen--Teaching Force Contains Four New Names

The teaching force with the exception of four teachers have been chosen by the school board of Charleroi for the ensuing year. So far the list contains only four changes from last year's force. Prof I. T. Daniel, for two years music director in the schools was re-elected. There will be some change in the principals this year. Neither Miss Grace Zillafro principal at Fifth street, nor Miss Beatrice Chapman, principal at Ninth street will be back. Principals elected were Misses Nellie G. Lee, Etta M. Work and Mary Thomson. The other principal is held over.

The names that are in the list are Misses Mildred Lowstutter, Jean Whitehead, and Ruth Rice, Charleroi and Miss Dora Williamson, of Davistown. Misses Whitehead and Rice have both taught here before, but did not teach last year in the local schools. The teaching force is as follows:

Misses Bernette McDonough, Elizabeth Elliott, Ruth Rice, Bertha V. Oller, Florence Crill, Vida Goehring, Elizabeth Noble, Gertrude Wise, Dora Williamson, Ida Hugg, Judith Collins, Ruth L. Shutt, Ella Greenwood, Fannie Arrison, Della Swan, Elizabeth Wyatt, Jean Hawthorne.

Mrs. Dolly Jeffries, Misses Mildred Lowstutter, Edith Woodhall, Mary V. Lewis, Harriet Wagner, Harriet Jolliffe, Mary McGee, Mary Blankenbuehler, Florence Montgomery, Jean Whitehead.

Mina Houseman, Grace Sloan, Edna Grove, Ina Kline, Nelle Hopkins, Ruth Middleton, Winifred C. Martin, Nora M. Swan, Mary Kelley.

The high school teachers were elected at a previous meeting. They are Miss Mary Walters, D. C. Willard, and W. A. Swick. Salaries of all the teachers elected have been fixed.

Made Address.

Among the addresses made at the convention the past week at Wellsburg, W. Va., of the Washington county district, of the Epworth League was one by Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Charleroi. Rev. Richards spoke on "Our Peril" at the afternoon meeting on Thursday.

Carrie Nation Dies in Kansas

Noted Saloon Smasher Passes Away After Brief Illness at Sanitarium

Mrs Carie Nation, of hatchet fame, because of her fanatical attemt to banish saloons by physical force, died Friday night at 7 o'clock at a sanitarium in Leavenworth, Kan., from paresis, said to be due partly to worry brought on by a lawsuit to recover money due her from an eastern syndicate. She was about 65 years old.

From her lecturing as well as her methods of attacking the liquor trade, she gained considerable fame. She is known in Western Pennsylvania. Twice she lectured at Eldora Park at other points of this part of the country.

SITE IS SECURED FOR PARK

Monessen Council Passes Ordinance for Improvement

MEETS WITH MUCH FAVOR

The Monessen council has passed a park ordinance on third and final reading. By this action about ten acres of ground pass into the possession of the borough, as the gift of the East Side Land company, the acceptance carrying with it a financial obligation covering a period of fourteen years. The sum of $4,500 is to be spent on improvements during this year, $3,000 per year for the next four years and $2,000 per year for nine years thereafter.

The parks are located at Ninth and Sixth streets and will afford convenient and comfortable breathing spots for sweltering humanity during the summer months. While there is in some quarters a felling that Monessen's present needs along other lines of improvements make the expenditures in prospect a burden, it will without question be shown in the near future that Monessen's parks are institutinos which it would have been unwise to forego.

Eating a Pleasure Here.

During the warm weather we have provided a cool place for our patrons to enjoy their meals. Besides having a cool place we are always ready to serve you with an attractive menu. With us quality is the first consideration—poor goods can't get in our kitchen at any price. We will be glad to have you come regularly or for special occasions.

Efficient service and right prices are making our restaurant a very popular place. Busy Bee Resturant 247tf 1

Be sure to see the great scene in the Railroad Builder at the Star Monday afternoon and evening. 260t1

Bamboo Porch Awnings.

Just in a new line of Jap Outside Bark Porch Awnings 6ft., 8 ft., and 10 ft., wide. Pieces commencing at 98c and up complete with cords and pulleys. Why pay more? Kirk& Clark. 259t2

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Special Prices On All Children's Hats

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How Cloves Are Cultivated.

Cloves are now cultivated in many tropical rgeions. A clove tree begins to bear at the age of ten years and continues until it reaches the age of seventy-five years. There are two crops a year, one in June and another in December The tree is an evergreen and grows from forty to fifty feet high, with large oblong leaves and crimson flowers at the end of small branches in clusters of from ten to twenty. The tree belongs to the same botanical order as the guava. The cloves, which are the undeveloped buds, are at first white, then light green and at the time of gathering bright red Pieces of white cloth are spread under the trees at harvesting time, and the branches are beaten gently with bamboo sticks until the cloves drop. They are dried in the sun, being tossed about daily until they attain the rich dark color that proclaims them ready for shipment.—Harper's Weekly.

An Embarrassing Situation.

A young man fresh from the varsity, where he had excelled in athletics, presented himself for ordination. The bishop, as was his custom, entertained the candidates at the palace, and after dinner the usual informal evening party took place. At this function the young man referred to entered into conversation with an affable gentleman in clerical attire whom he found standing in leisurely fashion just within the drawing room door. "Who's that rather scrumptious looking girl on the sofa?" said he. "She's my wife," replied the affable cleric, with an amused smile The young candidate was silenced for a moment, then he stammered: "I am sure I beg ten thousand pardons! I thought she was the bishop's daughter." "So she is," was the quiet rejoinder, "and I'm his lordship's domestic chaplain."

The Secret Test.

"How," the president of the Fat Man's club was asked, "did you prevent fraud among your applicants for membership? Didn't some men try to get in that weren't up to the standard weight?"

"Yes," the portly officer replied, "but it was no use. Applications had to be presented in person at the Polk building, fifth floor. There was no elevator. The applicant climbed the five flights of stairs.

"At the top he met a man who asked, 'Were you looking for the Fat Man's club?'

"'Yes.'

"'The main office is on the first floor,' the man said. 'Your application is rejected. We receive no man who can climb five flights of stairs.'"—Youth's Companion.

Girls of Andalusia.

Andalusian girls are, as a rule, singularly graceful, with small hands and feet. Their complexions are pale with the exception of those who live by the sea or in mountain places, such as Renda, where the women have always been noted for their beauty Some say the Spanish skin is the most perfect in Europe, and Gautier describes it as "a golden pallor," but unfortunately the Andalusian girl is very anxious to hide its fine texture under a coating of powder. Weather seems to have little effect on it, for it neither freckles nor discolors.

Giving an Example.

"Pa, what's a metrical romance?"

"Well, this month's gas bill is one."

—Blue Bull.

—All this week! A 50 cent bottle Dr. Howard's Specific for Dyspepsia and Constipation (60 doses) for 25 cts at W. F. Hennings'. Money back if it isn't the best remedy you ever used for stomacd and bowels. 259t1

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Ladies' White Canvas Shoes worth $3.50	2.45
Ladies' Tan Pumps and Oxford Worth $3.50 to $4.00	2.45
Ladies' Velvet Oxfords Tip or Plain toe $3.50 Grade	2.45
Ladie's Satin or Velvet Pumps Worth $5.00	2.95

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Men's Canvas Shoes Worth $1.25	.98

CHRISTIANS WIN FROM WASHINGTON AVENUE HITTERS

Ready Hitting and Good All Around Playing Brings Victory

Playing in old tome form the Christians Thursday night won the game from the Washington Avenues by the score of 8 to 2. The game was truly won, although erors contributed to the size of the score.

Not permitting the Washington Avenues to get within sight of home plate until the fourth inning the Christians dutifully scored one in the first, four in the second and one in the third. The four in the second inning were pulled around through an error, a sacrifice hit and three bingles, one of which stood for two sacks. Vernom made a homer in the third.

Carmell got a walk stole second and scored on Mitchell's single, in the fourth for the Washington Avenues. Mitchel stole second and after going third on a poke to left, came home on a sacrifice fly.

Two hits were responsible together with a hit by pitcher for getting the Christians a run in the fifth. On a base on balls and a three bagger they got one in the seventh. Score:

Christians	R	H	P	A	E
Heffran, s	1	2	2	2	0
Mathers, 2	1	0	0	4	1
Kearnes, c	0	1	1	1	0
Miller, l	0	1	3	0	0
Dunmire, 1	0	2	10	2	1
Furnier, 3	1	0	3	1	0
Vernom, r	3	2	1	0	0
Buchanan, m	1	3	1	2	0
Jolliffe, p	1	2	0	4	1
Total	8	13	21	16	3

W. A. Pres.	R	H	P	A	E
Hess,, 3	0	1	2	2	0
Carmell, s-2	1	0	1	1	2
Barrass, l	0	0	1	0	0
Mitchell, 2-s	1	1	1	2	0
Stahlman, 1	0	1	7	0	0
J. Bege, r	0	0	0	0	1
Fontanesi, m-p	0	0	0	1	0
Walchuk, c	0	0	7	2	0
Urwin, p-m	0	0	2	1	0
Total	2	3	21	9	3

Christians	1	4	1	0	1	0	1	—8
W. A. Pres	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2

Two base hits—Jolliffe, Vernom, Dunmire. Three base hits—Buchanan. Home run—Vernom. Stolen bases—Heffran, Carmell, Barrass, Mitchell, Stahlman, Fontanessi. Sacrifice hits—Mathers, Vernom, J. Bege. Struck out—By Jolliffe 1, by Urwin 4, by Fontanesi 4. Bases on balls—Off Jolliffe 2, off Urwin 3, off Fontanesi 1. Double plays—Urwin to Fontanesi to Carmell to Hess; Jolliffe to Dunmire to Furnier, Kearnes to Dunmire to Furnier. Hit by pitcher—Jolliffe. Umpires—Mathias and Byland.

Charleroi Church League

Yesterday's Results

Christians, 8 W. A Pres 2

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Episcopals	4	1	800
Catholics	4	1	800
Lutherans	3	1	750
First Pres	2	2	500
W. A. Pres	2	3	400
Christians	2	4	334
Baptists	1	3	200
Methodists	1	4	200

Game Tonight

Friday

Catholics vs. Baptists

BASEBALL BINGLES

Vernom was chief run getter last night. He had three to his credit. He batted at 1000 per cent, too.

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Jolliffe didn't very much want to pitch, but three hits off him for as many bases isn't so bad.

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Bert Wilson the First Presbyterian's star first sacker, who has been attending school at Bellefonte will probably appear in their lineup Monday night.

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Kearns seems to play a trifle better game catching than he does pitching.

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We cannot help but say that Dunmire played a heap better game on first for the Christians than he ever did for the First Presbyterians.

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Carmell made a bad mess of things in the sixth, with two slip-ups on affairs that looked easy.

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Bill McKechnie, who is playing a good game wherever they put him with the Pittsburg Nationals, didn't used to be such a slouch when Charleroi fans knew him. Bill formerly played with Washington in the P. O. M. league.

Urwin who essayed to pitch against the Christians, failed to properly recognize their batting clothes and was chased to the tall and uncut in the third.

Notice Co. E

This company will meet at 4 p. m. Saturday for hike and camp. Members will eat lunch before starting. Evening rations will be issued at camp by commissary department. Equipment will consist of wool blanket oilcloth, tin cup and service uniform. Second division will report at Berryman's store for countersign. March will be made with sealed orders. All memebrs are ordered to report.

O. M. Wise, Com.

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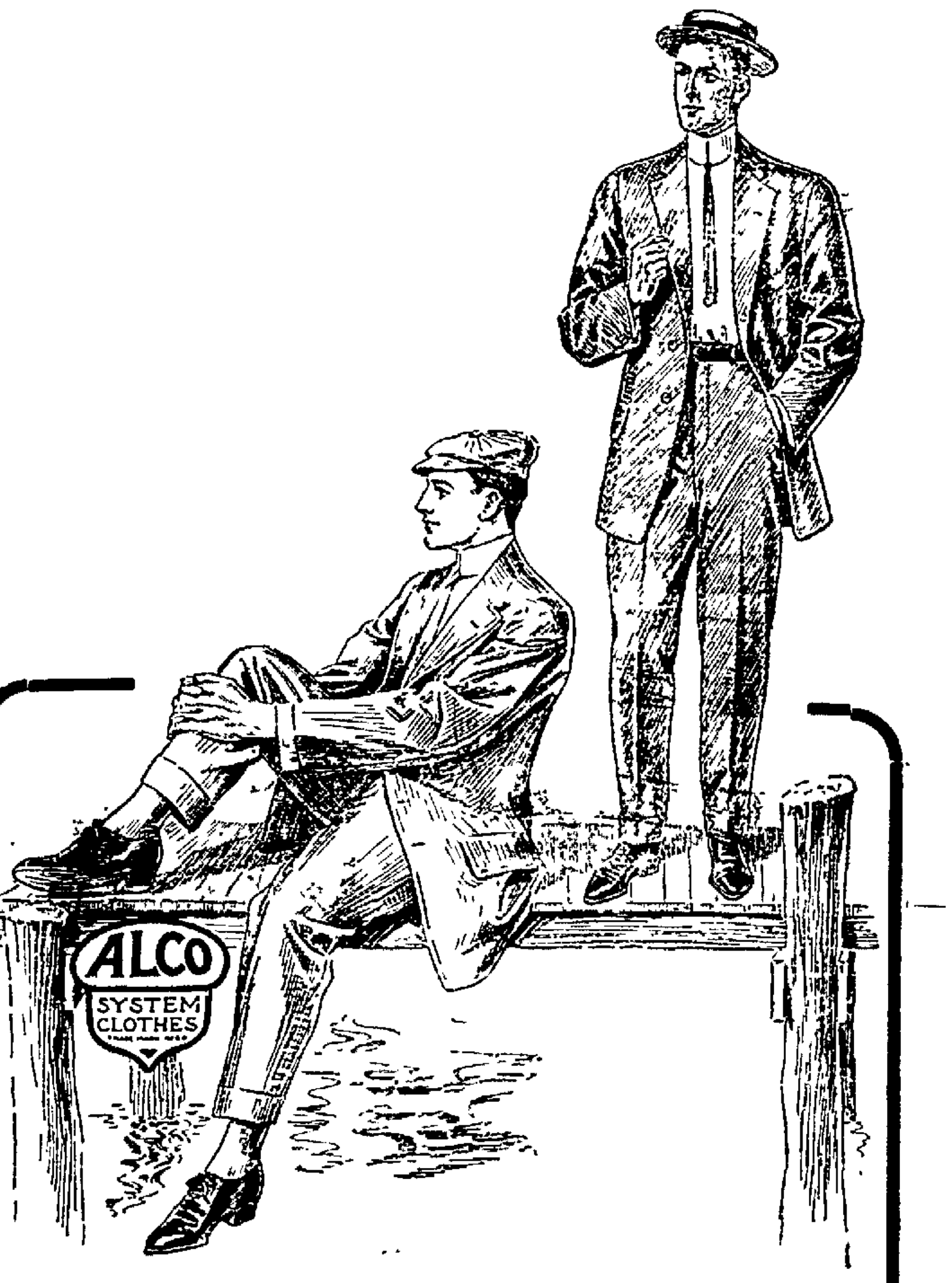
WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply 412 Fallowfield avenue, over Southern Furniture Co. 257t3

LOST—Moose ivory watch charm, bearing moose head, with initials, "L. O. O. M." Reward if left at Mail office. 259t2



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In weather like this you want everything to count for coolness, and the fit is an important part. If you will wear one of our suits this summer you will always wear our clothes, because the Fit is Right, the Price is Right, and they Wear Right.

OUR SUMMER SUITS in Tan, Blue, Pencil Stripe, Grey, Blue Serge and Brown are just the thing for Men and Young Men who want to keep cool and be in fashion during the summer months, and still at a price that you will say "Satisfied".

Straw Hats

June is the month for the first real hot weather. If you have not one of our Straw Hats, be prepared, buy one now while your size and style is here. They are priced from 50c up to $6.00.

Soft Shirts

We have got the biggest dollar's worth of Shirt we know anything about. Shirts are the test of a man's temper. So easy to have some little thing go wrong and then so easy to use strong language. But our Dollar Shirts will not rub the man, rile the temper or rob the pocket book. Other summer patterns at $1.50 and $2.00.

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For Register of Wills,
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primaries June, 1911

For Register of Wills
BOYD PARSHALL
WASHINGTON, PA.
Primaries 1911

June 10 In American History.

1801—The United States entered on a war with Tripoli.
1861—Battle of Big Bethel.
1906—Mary Putnam Jacobi, noted woman physician, died; born 1842.
1909—Rev. Dr. Edward Everett Hale died in Roxbury, Mass.; born 1822.
1910—The Half Moon turned over to New York Palisades park commission as custodian for the people of the state of New York.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:26, rises 4:24; moon sets 3:52 a. m.; sun's declination, 23 degrees north of celestial equator.

CHARLEROI MUST HUSTLE.

By an ordinance providing for the maintenance and improvement, Monessen secures a public park. This is a tract of land embracing about ten acres, which is donated by the Monessen Land company under the stipulation that a certain amount of money be expended each year for a specified time for improvement and maintenance. A few years hence Monessen's public park will not only be a distict feature in advertising and booming the town, but it will be an inspiration and a stimulus for further efforts in town planning and improvement.

If Charleroi proposes to keep in the running and retain its prestige among the river towns, it will have to begin to do something in the line of town planning and improvement. There is talk of the borough purchasing a plot of ground which may be utilized for both a playground for the children and a recreation park for the people. Each year this is put off makes it harder to attain, as sites that are available now will be occupied, and land values increase. One of the first questions asked of a town nowadays is, What has it done, and what is it doing in the way of civic improvements? This feature is emphasized in the survey of the larger towns and cities made by the State. The civic movements in all the towns are featured, which is the best kind of advertising, as it indicates a wide awake and progressive community.

It is up to the citizens of Charleroi to crystalize sentiment on some plan of town improvement, and then elect a council in sympathy with it and see that it is carried out. If nothing is done in this line other towns along the river will beat Charleroi out in the struggle for supremacy.

HELP THE LEAGUE.

The Charleroi Churcr Baseball League announces that it will have a "Booster Day," for the purpose of recouping the treasury. June 19 is the date set, and workers for the League will "tag" the people during the day, and a game will be played at which a slightly increased admission will be charged, including the ladies. The expense incurred in fitting up the ground has been excessive, and the receipts of the games with a nominal admission for men have not been sufficient to pay the indebtedness.

As this league is exclusively a home affair it is worthy of a contribution on "Booster Day." The person "tagged" is supposed to donate a quarter. This is a nominal sum pro rata, but a large number of such donations will get the league out of the financial hole. The league is a form of civic amusement that is working particularly well, and its presence is really a financial asset to the town. It furnishes regular recreation for a large class of people who would otherwise take their recreation at intervals out of town. The games are a pleasant diversion for the people, and the aid asked will be but trifling from each individual.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

It's natural enough that there should be a fight for district attorney in Washington county. Especially with so many really good lawyers to make things merry.

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The trouble with the job of a school teacher is that it gets on one's nerves at election time. The same trouble might apply to the jobs of a few men in public positions.

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The Kansas City editor who says that red headed women are the most beautiful has the sympathy of all who are engaged to marry women with braids of the same hue.

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Some men like summer only for the reason that they can get to show their Panama hats.

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Women are not the only vain creatures in the world. Most men have vanity enough when they go to buy a suit to think anything looks nice on them.

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A Reno widow has returned $700,000 to a reected suitor. The case is too extreme either for ejaculation or speculation. She belongs to the same ward in which Harry Thaw is confined.

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People don't any more than get through with the hunters in the winter time until the automobile cranks appear in the spring time and continue the killing and maiming with the same rapadity.

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It's hard to make a record, but it's a blame sight harder to keep one after it is made.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Washington as a municipality feels insulted. A delegation of McKeesport councilmen, headed by the mayor of the Tube City, recently visited the county seat to look at the sewage disposal plant there, and were evidently not at all pleased with their official reception. At all events the McKeesport crowd accumulated a grouch, and on their return gave out some stuff to the newspapers in the form of a roast for the borough officials of Washington.

Evidently the McKeesport bunch was not asked out to "take somethin,'" for the reason there is supposed to be nothing to "take" in Washington. One of the complaints made was that no one seemed to know anything about affairs at the county seat. The turnkey at the police station is said not to have known the name of the burgess, and the borough clerk could not tell the location of the sewage disposal plant, having never visited the institntion. In locating the sewage disposal plant the most definite directions that could be obtained was to board a street car and get off at a certain point, then "follow the stink."

"The most remarkable play I ever saw in baseball occurred in an amateur game like one of these," remarked a traveling man who sat in the bleachers at one of the Church League games the other night. "A man was on third base when a batter knocked a Texas Leaguer which was caught by the middle fielder, who was playing in and made a hard run. As soon as the ball was caught the the man on third started to steal home and the middle fielder pegged the ball to the catcher but made a wild throw the ball going ten feet over the catcher's head. It struck the netting in front of the grand stand and stuck in the meshes. As soon as the catcher saw the ball go over his head he wheeled in time to see it land and stick in the wire netting. Quick as a flash he grabbed up his mask from the ground where he had thrown it, and racing to the grand stand hurled the mask at the ball. It struck the sphere, loosened it and the catcher gathered it up and fired it to the pitcher who had run to the home plate who retired the man stealing from third. It was the most marvelous instance of quick thinking I ever witnessed on the ball field."

Give Credit Where It's Due

Somehow the impression has become existent in spots that Governor Tener and the General Assembly of Pennsylvania have robbed Pittsburg and Scranton of the right of self-government by enacting a new charter and appointing councilmen. Some of the most active workers for a change in the system of government for Pittsburg have been busily engaged in spreading this erronious view to further their own political interests. Col. T. J. Keenan and many of his associates in the movement have frankly expressed themselves as more than satisfied with the appointees of the Governor. They are honestly pleased and earnestly hopeful that great good has been accomplished by the aid of the Governor.

It repuires much time and money to change a government by election. No man in Pittsburg was in a position to say that a special election of councilmen at this time, or 30 days after the act was signed, would have resulted in the choice of men competent or willing to give the new system a fair trial. Half of the councilmen ousted would have spent their last dollar to secure vindications at the hands of their ward constituencies. A fierce factional fight would not have been avoided. At least two months would hardly have been sufficient to organize an elected council of nine men. As it is the Governor has named excellent men for these offices, only a few of whom would have been candidates for election under any circumstances. And in November the peopie make their own choice and shoulder the responsibility for the government. Even the Canonsburg Notes applauds the Governor's appointments.

The Philadelphia Record not only unreservedly endorses the small council, elected at large, but takes the trouble to say that the people have not been robbed of any rights. It is only those who set it down as a rule of their political conduct that nothing good can come out of a Republican administration who now attempt to belittle the big things done by Tener and the legislature.--Washington Record.

Seeing Is Doubting.

"Seeing is believing, eh?" said an oculist. "Well, no saw was ever more absurd than that. You see a horse's head and a flour barrel, and you believe the barrel is longer than the horse's head, don't you? Well, it isn't. The horse's head from the tips of his ears to the end of his nose is longer than the barrel by a considerable distance. Architects have to deceive the eye in order to make it appear that their buildings are symmetrical. They make walls lean in that they may appear vertical. They make windows wider at the top They make columns thicker in the middle than at the summit or base. And the top lines of a building, in order to appear plumb to the silly eye of man, must be raised up quite a lot in the center.

"Seeing is believing, indeed!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Apple Pie Without Apples.

A guest at an old fashioned home dinner was eulogizing apple pie and her hostess when another guest, who had been a California pioneer, recalled the "apple" pie given the children of 1852 to appease their homesick cravings when apples were a dollar a pound. It was made by breaking four soda crackers into an earthern bowl and pouring over them a pint of cold water rendered very tart by citric acid. When soft the crackers were laid on a pie plate on the undercrust Over them were sifted two tablespoonfuls of light brown sugar and a little allspice and cinnamon. A pretty perforated top crust was added, and in a few minutes a perfect apple pie was taken from the oven to delight young and old.—New York Sun.

Self Restraint.

"Doctor, I've come to see you about my wife. I'm afraid there's something serious the matter with her."

"I'm sorry to hear that. What are her symptoms?"

"Why, the other day, when I was out of town, she had occasion to go to my office, and there she found several letters marked 'Private' that she didn't open."—Chicago Record-Herald.

STOPPING A NOSEBLEED.

By This Method It Is Simply a Matter of Imagination.

In many experiments carried on during the last few years it has been ascertained that the mind controls to a wonderful extent the flow of blood to any particular part of the body. The following experiment has been tried as many as ten times by me and has not failed once.

When the nose starts to bleed, immediately persuade yourself to believe that you are running with all your might up the steepest flight of steps you can think of or up a high hill; that is, just think of doing either of these things and doing it fast. Think at the same time that you are carrying a heavy piece of baggage with both hands and add thoughts of any other bodily exertion. You will be surprised at the quickness with which your trouble ends.

The explanation is that when we really start to run more blood is given to the arteries supplying the muscles of the legs than they were receiving while at rest. This has been proved. As the same thoughts in the mind produce approximately the same bodily effects, if one merely thinks to run, but does not run, the blood will go to the legs anyhow and away from the head, as desired.

There are many common experiences of secretions started by thoughts. If one looks at a lemon and thinks of sucking it his mouth immediately waters, and I have no doubt that many people who read this will have their mouths watering from the simple reading.—Lawrence Hodges in Chicago Record-Herald.

BUFFALO TONGUES.

The Blackfoot Indians Used to Turn Them Into Hairbrushes.

"Walrus whisker toothpicks and buffalo tongue hairbrushes!" the explorer cried.

And he displayed a packet of black toothpicks tied with a strip of red rawhide and a flat black hairbrush that seemed molded out of rubber.

"These two articles," said the explorer, "are of strictly native manufacture—native American manufacture. Take the toothpicks first. They are made by the Indians of Alaska. The Indians, whenever they kill a walrus, pluck from his face his long and stiff whiskers, cure them and ship them to the Chinese. At every fashionable Chinese dinner you will see the stately mandarins between each course picking their teeth with these walrus whisker toothpicks.

"It's the Blackfoot Indians who use buffalo tongue hairbrushes. A buffalo's tongue is rough. The spines on it make very good hairbrush bristles. And these bristles in a Blackfoot brush don't come out, for the Blackfoot simply skins his buffalo tongue, cuts it in hairbrush shape, cures it, and there you are.

Every Blackfoot in the past had his buffalo hairbrush. But those days are gone—gone with the buffalo herds—and where in the fifties you could buy a good buffalo tongue brush on the plains for a ladle of puppy dog stew I doubt if you could get one now for a keg of firewater."—Washington Post.

When Empress Eugenie Was Young.

I was so lost in admiration of this wonderful Empress Eugenie that in dancing in the royal quadrille with the Russian consul I forgot to make the usual steps. Everything was symmetrically perfect in her, the slender, graceful figure with the beautifully modeled shoulders, which were enhanced by the white dress she wore, profusely embroidered with pearls and silver. Her exquisite shape attracted me perhaps even more than did the classically beautiful head, with the noble regular features and the auburn hair, upon which sparkled a royal diadem. Her charming smile bewitched me as much as did the few friendly words she addressed to me in her melodious voice.—Princess von Racowit's Autobiography.

The Torpedo Fish.

The torpedo fish, known to scientists as the Torpedo electricus, are the electric catfish of the Nile. They can give an electric shock similar to that of an electric Leyden jar. This is useful to the fish in stunning prey and in confounding their enemies. This shock, like any other electricity, may be conducted through a metallic substance and is often unpleasant, though not dangerous. It is conveyed through an iron spear or knife, so that the person holding either of these implements may receive a shock when it comes in contact with the fish.—St. Nicholas.

Giving Them Their Due.

"It was simply a question of veracity between us," said the oldest inhabitant. "He said I was a liar, and I said he was one."

"Humph!" rejoined the village postmaster. "That's the first time I ever heard of either of you telling the truth."—London Mail.

Their Views of It.

He—Did you see the pleased expression on her face when I told her she didn't look any older than her daughter? She—No; I was looking at the expression on her daughter's face.—Detroit Free Press.

When He Buys Chips.

It isn't always patriotism that prompts a man's interest in the red, white and blue. Sometimes it's poker.—Philadelphia Record.

Distinction is the consequence, never the object, of a great mind.—Washington Allston.

The American Born Princess.

My father, Prince Napoleon Lucien Charles, was in exile in the United States, and so it happened that I was born in America on the borders of the Delaware. I came into the world with the last sigh of the old year—that is to say, at midnight on the 31st of December, 1833. I have said that my father was in exile. When he was eleven years old his mother left Naples with her four children—two boys and two girls—and retired to the Chateau de Frohsdorff, taking the title of Comtesse de Lipona—Napoli transposed. There my father lived till he was joined by his uncle, the Emperor Napoleon's eldest brother, King Joseph of Spain, who on the fall of the first empire had retired to the United States and taken a lovely place near Bordentown, N. J., where he lived for eleven years as Count de Survilliers. It was at Bordentown that I entered this sorry world, my father having in 1831 married a Miss Carolina Georgina Fraser of Scotch origin, descending from the old family of Lovat.—Princess Caroline Murat's "Memoirs."

A Shock to Vanity.

"My wife gave me a birthday present that has a tendency to take the conceit out of any man who thinks he's good looking," said the man who shaves himself. "I confess that I have all along had a sort of sneaking idea that I had a little more than my share of manly beauty; that when it came to a showdown I was there with the goods. But not any more. I'm cured. And my wife's present did it. What was it? Why, simply one of those shaving glasses that magnify three times. The first time I used it I got a view of my face that rather startled me. Every blemish, every wild hair under the skin, every open pore, all the minute ugliness that isn't apparent to the naked eye—these things confronted me in all their magnified repulsiveness. I used the glass just once and then accidentally dropped it down the air shaft to the basement below. I don't want to look like a monstrosity every time I shave myself."—New York Times.

The Addition.

"What makes you act so grouchy this morning, Dobkins?"

"Had an addition to my family."

"What? Why, you ought to be ashamed to be gloomy over that! To think that a normal human being should be angry because of the advent of such a cherub! Do you actually grudge a place in your happy home to an innocent creature fresh from heaven, bringing with it the very fragrance of those celestial realms? Do you greet with an unwelcoming chill a small epitome of all purity and sweetness given into your keeping as a priceless though undeserved treasure by a too benevolent Providence? A lovely copy of what fancy feigns the angels to be like—a tiny shred of grace and glory snatched from the"—

"Say, that's very pretty, but do you know you're talking about my mother-in-law?"—New York Journal.

A Cow For a Life.

The Ober Gabelhorn is a peak notorious for the dangerous cornices which decorate its upper ridges. Of many accidents reported in connection with it perhaps the most remarkable, says G. D. Abraham in "Swiss Mountain Climbs," was the adventure which befell an amateur and his young guide. In passing along the dangerous final cornice it suddenly gave way under the amateur, and he went flying through space to apparent destruction. The guide at the other end of the rope seemed in hopeless plight, but with astounding presence of mind he flung himself down the opposite side of the ridge, thus saving two lives. The rope cut deep into the snow above, but held firm. The young guide's name was Ulrich Almer. His reward was a cow.

A Horticultural Puzzle.

"It's no use," sighs the nature wizard. "I may as well give up."

"What is bothering you?" we ask sympathetically.

"I got started a few years ago on a whim of mine. I took a head of cabbage and crossed it with a white potato and grew eyes on it; then I crossed that with a cornstalk and grew ears on it; then I crossed that with a squash and grew a neck on it; then I crossed that with a cocoanut and grew hair on it, but hanged if I can figure out what to do for a nose and mouth!"—St. Louis Republic.

Made Him Feel Older.

The late Archbishop Ryan illuminated every subject he discussed, and once at a banquet in Philadelphia be illuminated strangely the subject of old age.

"We ourselves," he said, "never seem to grow old. Our hearts remain young, and even our faces in the glass don't look old, as do our friends' faces. One day on Chestnut street a very withered and bent graybeard accosted me.

"'Why,' he said, 'don't you remember me? We were classmates at Carlow college.'"

Archbishop Ryan paused, then added whimsically:

"I was taken aback. I was shocked. I knew he was my age, but I had no idea I was his."—Washington Star.

BETTER THAN SPANKING

Spanking does not cure children of bed-wetting. There is a constitutional cause for this trouble. Mrs. M. Summers, Box W, Notre Dame, Ind., will send free to any mother her successful home treatment, with full instructions. Send no money, but write her today if your children trouble you in this way. Don't blame the child, the chances are it can't help it. This treatment also cures adults and aged people troubled with urine difficulties by day or night.

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FOR SALE

$3,500	6 Rooms and Bath, Washington Avenue.
1,700	8 Rooms, Down Town.
1,500	5 Rooms, Shady Avenue.
2,400	6 Rooms and Bath, Fallowfield Avenue.
2,500	6 Rooms and Store Room, McKean Avenue.
1,500	5 Rooms, Shady Avenue.
2,100	6 Rooms, 3rd Street.

FOR RENT
6 rooms, Second Street, $18.00.
6 rooms, Lincoln Avenue, $15.00.
8 rooms, and bath, Crest Avenue, $30.00.
3 rooms, Lincoln Avenue, $8.50.
5 rooms, 6th Street, $12.50.

J. A. HEPLER
411 Fallowfield Avenue

WE TREAT ALL ALIKE

The child with her penny savings bank,
The small boy with his small change,
The lady with her pin money savings,
The small man with his small roll.
The big man with his big roll.
The big man who applies for a big loan,
The small man who applies for a small loan.
The lady with her church subscription list,
The small boy with school entertainment tickets,
The child with society entertainment tickets.

are each accorded the same considerate attention, & extended the most liberal treatment consistent with careful and profitable banking.

Bank of Charleroi
Capital and Surplus $287,500
Fourth Largest Bank in Washington County.
Open Saturday evenings from 8 to 9

FOR SALE

$5,000	1 6 room house, bath, gas, electricity, 3 room house in the rear, Crest Avenue.
45,00	10 room house, small house in rear Lincoln Avenue.
3,500	6 room house, bath, furnace Washington Avenue.
3,000	1 store room and 2 living rooms, 6 room house in rear, McKean Avenue.
2,800	8 room house, lot 30x143x170 Eleventh Street.
2,600	6 room house, modern convenience, Washington Avenue.
2,500	6 room house, Lincoln Avenue.
2,500	5 room house. McKean Avenue.
2,000	5 room house, street improved, Washington Avenue.
2,0	5 room house, gas, water, Luella Avenue.
1,750	4 room house, Meadow Avenue.
1,500	4 room house, lot 155x107x40 Oakland Avenue.
1,100	3 room house, cemented cellar, large chicken coops, Oakland Avenue.

Several Houses at Lock No. 4

8,000	80 acre farm 1¼ mile from Charleroi.
4,000	82 acre farm 2¼ mile from Charleroi.

Lots in all parts Charleroi and Lock, 4.

Peoples' Realty Co.
Fire, Plate Glass & Automobile Insurance.
600 Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi

AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

Striking photplays at the Palace Theatre this week were "Semiramis" a magnificent portrayal of the period when Ninus was King of Babylon. "Madeline's Rebellion" was a most pleasing comedy in which two American girls indulge in merry pranks that had a happy ending. "The Feud" was a thrilling melodrama of the breezy west, while "The Little Shephardess" was a pretty story of a peasant emigrant love affair. "In Time of Press," was a realistic portrayal of a graphic newspaper beat that had a pretty love story intermingled. Louis Brusa the popular tenor, had two snappy illustrated songs, "Skipper Susie Green" and "In Honeysuckle Time." The orchestra gives a most enjoyable open air concert nightly from the balcony of the Theatre."

The Star—Charleroi.—

Manager Tom Cowan of the Star Theatre made a ten-strike this week when he secured for Thursday afternoon and evening the $30,000 motion picture in two reels. "The Fall of Troy." This great spectacular production of the famous epic showed 2,000 armored gladiators engaged in battle, together with the spectacular destruction of the city by fire. Scene after scene of amazing grandeur was presented, showing beautiful women, dashing chariot races, and thrilling combats, in which the famed Paris and Menelaus take part. This carefully selected program of the best films was presented composed of humor and drama, with educational and spectacular subjects. Under the new management the Star is a most popular theatre.

HEED THE WARNING ! !

Backache is the Signal .that .Kidney Diseases are Nigh.

Who doesn't dread the advanced stages of kidney trouble—Bright's disease, dropsy and gravel.

But today throughout America, there are tens of thousands suffering the torments of hopeless agony just because they failed to heed the first signal, the certain warning of future misery—backache.

Bachache means that your kidneys are weak.

Stop kidney disease at the start, that's the easiest way and Thompson's Barosma is the surest remedy. W. F. Hennings' sells it, and is willing to guarantee it to stop backache, sideache and sharp shooting pains and to cure Bright's disease and any and all kidney, liver and bladder trouble, or money back.

It is a great maker of pure blood, and a builder of flesh, because it promptly cleans the kidneys and puts them in such perfect condition that the impurities are thoroughly strained from the blood as it passes through and are promptly eliminated with the urine. Thompson's Barosma is only 50 cents and $1.00 a bottle.

Tax Notice.

State and county taxes for the boroughs of Charleroi, North Charleroi, Twilight and Speers and Fallowfield township are payable at the Charleroi Savings and Trust company, Charleroi, Pa. .?

A discount of 5 per cent will be allowed on all taxes paid before August 1.

W. E. Lane, County Treasurer.

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JOHN BANISTER.

An English Violinist Who Won Fame in the Seventeenth Century.

Public concerts owe their direct encouragement to John Banister, who had won fame by his playing on the violin and who succeeded the celebrated Baltzar as leader of Charles II.'s band of twenty-four violins. Pepys, in an entry in his diary for February, 1667, tells us the court gossip of the day—"how the king's viallin Banister is mad that the king hath a Frenchman come to be chief of some part of the king's musique."

Banister's concerts at the close of the year 1672 were advertised in the London Gazette as follows: "These are to give notice that at Mr. John Banister's house (now called the musick school), over against the George tavern in White Fryers, the present Monday will be musick performed by excellent masters, beginning precisely at 4 of the clock in the afternoon, and every afternoon for the future precisely at the same hour."

Four years later on we read again. "At the academy in Little Lincoln's Inn Fields will begin the first part of the parley of instruments, composed by Mr. John Banister." The admission was at this time as a rule a shilling, and these concerts seem to have been held pretty regularly down to within a short time of Banister's death, which took place in 1679.—London Graphic.

The Peanut.

The common peanut originally came probably from tropical America. Peanuts were introduced into the United States in the days of the colonies. Botanically the peanut belongs to the same group of plants as beans and peas, but the peanut matures its fruit or nut under the surface of the soil, not above ground, as do most other leguminous plants. Properly speaking, the peanut is a pea rather than a nut, the term "nut" having been added on account of its flavor, which is similar to that of many of the true nuts. The peanut is known under the local names of goober, goober pea, pindar, groundpea and groundnut.

Only on the Outside.

"Why, Ethel, you don't mean to tell me you want to marry that baldheaded Professor Wiseman?"

"It is true he is bald," said Ethel, "but think how many young men of today are bald on the inside of their heads."

DANGER IN DELAY

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous For Charleroi People to Neglect.

The great danger of kidney troubles is that they get firm hold before the sufferer recognizes them. Health is graduallly, undermined. Backache headache, nervousness, lameness, soreness, lumbago, urinary troubles, dropsy, and Bright's disease, follow as the kidneys get worse. Don't neglect your kidneys. Help the kidneys with the reliable and safe remedy, Doan's Kidney Pills, which has cured people right here in Charleroi.

Mrs Robert Coulter, 207 Prospect avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Some years ago my son contracted the measles and on recovering, I noticed that his kidneys were weak. He had no control over the kidney secretions and this was especially annoying at night. I had often seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised in the local papers and was finally induced to procure a supply at Piper Bros.' Drug Store. I had my son use them according to directions, and before long he was greatly benefitted. He is still using Doan's Kidney Pills, and I am certain that a complete cure will soon be effected.

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's and take no other.

SEARCHLIGHT RAYS.

The Effect When the Beams Penetrate a Foggy Atmosphere.

Nearly everybody is familiar with the beam of a searchlight and knows why the beam is visible, while light itself cannot be seen unless it strikes the eye, its visibility being due to particles in the air which really do reflect the light to the eye. On a foggy night, if one will notice, the beam seems to come abruptly to an end if the light is pointed upward. It does this instead of gradually fading away into nothing, as it does pointed horizontally on a uniformly foggy night.

The thing is rather puzzling to one first seeing it, but the reason is not far to seek. Where the end of the beam seems to be there is the place the fog ends, for the beam cannot be visible to us unless there are small particles in its path. This is of great help to sailors in judging of the state of the weather, for they can tell exactly how thick the frog is, or, rather, how deep it is. They can also tell by throwing the light horizontally whether the fog is universal or occurring only in patches, for if extending to a great distance the beam gradually gets dimmer and dimmer, but if in patches the beam is lighter in patches, and if it goes through a place with no fog at all that part of the beam is black or invisible. —New York Tribune.

COFFEE AND TEA.

The Bean Improves With Age, While the Leaf Deteriorates.

Coffee beans improve with age. Five year old coffee is better than the new crop and fetches a higher price in the market. In two years coffee will lose 10 per cent in weight, but it will increase more than 10 per cent in price. Coffee should be used quickly after roasting. If the brown beans appear oily the oil should be dried off in a quick, hot oven; otherwise it will undergo a chemical change which will affect the flavor.

While coffee beans dry with age, teas absorb moisture even when in zinc lined chests. Tea likewise deteriorates with age. It doesn't lose strength so much as it does its drawing quality, which is another name for flavor or bouquet. So careful are the tea packers to insure an entire absence of moisture from the tea when being placed in the zinc or lead lined chests that they have the tea leaves sun dried and then heated before packing. The tea goes into the chests too hot to handle with bare hands and is sealed up in air tight packages before it has time to cool and before the slightest suggestion of moisture reaches it.—New York World.

A Word For Sugar.

Pure candy is good for children. Pure sugar is good for grown people. Of course there are exceptions to every rule. If the doctor prescribes a diet and orders a patient to refrain from sweets the patient is bound to obey his adviser. What is the use of calling a physician and paying him for suggestions if the latter are treated with indifference? People in ordinary health need not be afraid to gratify an appetite which craves sweets. Those who have looked into the matter have been telling us lately that soldiers on the march hold out better if they have rations of sugar than if their food omits this useful commodity. A fondness for sugar is often a defense against the temptation to use alcoholic stimulants. The inebriate does not care very much about pure sweets.—Christian Herald.

The Age of Linen.

It is highly probable that the manufacture of linens is of greater antiquity than that of silk. Archaeologists generally admit that the mummy cloth of the most ancient dynasties was a variety of finest linen. The Egyptian and Jewish priests wore it at all their ceremonies. We find mention of fine linens all through the Old and New Testaments. When the queen of Sheba visited Solomon she was habited in linen. In Revelation the angels are clothed in "pure and white linen." Genesis tells us that Pharaoh arrayed Joseph in vestures of fine linen. Silk is mentioned in the Bible only four times.

The Mystic Seven.

A certain fond father sent his son to the University of Pennsylvania last fall. As a farewell piece of advice he told the young man that "his success was almost assured, since both the word success and your name contain seven letters." The midyear examinations, however, proved to be his doom, and he was compelled to return home.

"Well," said his father, "didn't you keep in mind what I told you about the seven letters?"

"I did that, father," answered the boy, "but you must remember that there are also seven letters in failure." —Philadelphia Times.

Money Panic.

"What was the worst money panic you ever saw?" asked one financier of another.

"The worst money panic I ever saw," was the reply, "was when a fifty cent piece rolled under the seat of a street car and seven different women claimed it."—Exchange.

Tyranny.

There are few minds to which tyranny is not delightful. Power is nothing but as it is felt, and the delight of superiority is proportionate to the resistance overcome.—Johnson.

Every production of genius must be the production of enthusiasm.—Disraeli.

PREPARED FOR DEFEAT.

Precautions General Taylor Took Before Meeting Santa Anna.

Santa Anna was the greatest military leader the Mexicans have ever known. Santa Anna, with 25,000 veterans, went into the battle of Buena Vista with the avowed purpose of exterminating the entire army of the United States, and there was no doubt in the mind of Santa Anna that this great feat could be accomplished with comparative ease. General Taylor, with his 5,000 men, prepared for the unequal contest, and not only defended himself successfully, but won a substantial victory from his aggressive antagonists and drove them from the battlefield of Buena Vista.

Some time after the battle was fought and the Mexican war concluded General Taylor was criticised for having made no preparations for the retreat of his army in the event of defeat. General Taylor promptly replied: "I made every preparation necessary for the battle of Buena Vista. I wrote my will, and so did nearly every man in my army. If we had not won that battle we would have needed no lines of retreat. It was, from our standpoint, victory or annihilation. The only preparation necessary for the contingency of defeat at Buena Vista was that we should write our wills."

MAN AND THE WORLD.

A Very Small Graveyard Would Hold the Whole Human Family.

How little mankind signifies in the scheme of nature is shown by a rather morose calculation of the Italian Professor Zuccarini, who has figured out, among other things, that estimating the world's population as 1,500,000,000 the whole human race at present living could stand comfortably shoulder to shoulder in an area of 500 square miles.

Taking the number of generations in the past 6,000 years as 200, the room taken up by them all on the above plan would only be half the size of Germany, or for the sake of comparison less than the area of the state of Colorado. To bury all the people on earth would need a graveyard little larger than that area.

If the dust left by each body be estimated at one-tenth cubic yard, which is a liberal estimate, it would cover only forty square miles to a depth of about three feet. This certainly seems insignificant compared with the great coral reefs and other immense deposits built up by the shells of tiny infusoria.—New York Sun.

His Security.

When Eben Foster asked Squire Lane to lend him $200 to invest in the dry goods business the squire dryly inquired what Mr. Foster had to offer him in the way of security.

"Security?" said Eben, with an air of injured dignity. "Well, squire, I'll tell you what I have to offer—three solid silver teaspoons, a handsome brass warming pan, a pair of decalcomany vases, large size, and the material for as much as three feather beds, if not four, right on the backs o' my flock o' geese, an' five Plymouth Rock hens.

"You can call 'em all yours till I pay the money back, an' I'll take care of 'em for you free of charge. I don't know what anybody could want more'n that for security."—Youth's Companion.

The American Indian.

The old question of the origin of the red man of America is still an open one, the last word by no means having been said. The most probable theory is that which links the Indian with the Mongolaids of East Africa, whose physical characteristics are strikingly similar to those of the American aborigine. Between the Indian and the Japanese there are many pronounced resemblances, and some excellent authorities are of the opinion that it was from that eastern race that the Indian originally sprung. If, as some think, the Eskimos are the best representatives of the Indian as he was upon his arrival here, the theory of the Japanese origin is immensely strengthened, since the likeness between the Eskimo and the Japanese is striking indeed.—New York American.

Logic of the Land.

A specimen of rustic reasoning which is too good to lose is recorded in Mr. R. L. Gales' "Studies In Arcady." "A barber," he says, "was telling me with great gusto how he had refuted an atheist. I inquired what arguments he had employed.

"'I asked the atheist,' said the barber, 'what portion of the Scriptures he based his ideas upon.'

"'What did he say to that?'

"'Never a word.'

"The defeat had been crushing and final."

Not Her Kind.

"Have you heard," asked Mrs. Oldcastle, "that Grace Moneylove has married an octogenarian?"

"Mercy sakes!" exclaimed Mrs. Justrich. "Is that so? Well, he may be all right, but I want to tell you I've never seen a man who wouldn't eat meat that I'd live with."—Judge.

Not to Blame.

Lady—But this fish isn't fresh! Fishmonger—And whose fault is that? I offered it to you at the beginning of the week and you wouldn't have it then.—London Telegraph.

The mind ought sometimes to be amused that it may the better return to thought and to itself.

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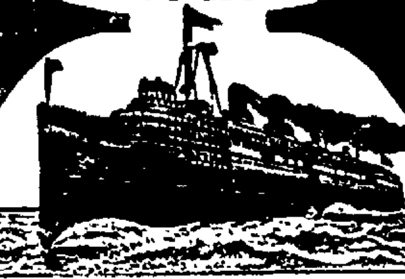

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Merrick's sewing thread regularly sells for 5c spool, white only. Special price, 3 spools	10c
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HUMAN SKULL PUZZLE.

A Cavity That May Have Been the Seat of a Sixth Sense.

Despite the progress of physiology the study of the human body is full of mystery. Some of its well known organs have never revealed either their uses or the reason of their creation. The part played by the sp..... in human life was discovered but recently. It is now regarded as one of the principal agents in the circulation of the blood. But there are in the marvelous human organism mysterious parts which it is possible that no savant, however profound his learning, may ever understand. For instance, in the skull, behind the cartilage of the nose, there is a little cavity of unknown origin. Physiologists believe that at one time—several thousand generations ago—it contained a gland consisting of two lobes joined by their common base.

This cavity—the delta turcica—is, in the opinion of certain savants, the vestige of a sixth sense which was of great use to the antediluvian ancestors of man. It is believed that this little gland enabled them to see in the darkness when they had not yet learned the secret of procuring light; that it was the seat of the mysterious sense of situation or locality, the power to orient their course, the sense so highly developed to this day in savages and certain animals. The theory is plausible, but it is doubtful whether man will ever acquire any real knowledge of the reason for the existence of the delta turcica.—Exchange.

Told Him In Few Words.

A man once wrote to the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, the famous preacher, saying that he had heard he smoked and could not believe it to be true. Would Mr. Spurgeon write and tell him if it really was so? The reply was:

"Dear Sir—I cultivate my flowers and burn my weeds. Yours truly, C. H. Spurgeon."

Puzzling.

Millions—Do you think you will learn to like your titled son-in-law?

Billions—I don't know. I can't tell where to place him in my expense account. He is neither a recreation nor an investment.

No Wonder He Was Ugly.

"What's your husband so ugly about?"

"He's been out of work six weeks."

"I should think that would suit him first rate!"

"That's it! He's just got a job today.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

Not His Fault.

"You pay too little attention to your personal appearance. Remember that clothes make the man."

"Yes, but for me the man says he won't make any more clothes!"—Dorfbarbier.

The Modern Child.

"When you come home from school bring a pound of sugar with you."

"Sorry, mother, but our union forbids us to carry anything else but our school satchels."—Pele Mele.

Breaking It Gently.

Beginner—Now you've seen my style do you think you can tell me what sort of a golfer I shall make? Professional—Yes, sir, if you can stand the shock.—World of Golf.

The Real Truth.

The truth about mothers-in-law is that they have kept many a son-in-law from having to work for a living.—Galveston News.

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BAPTISTS SHUT OUT CATHOLICS BY 3 0 SCORE

Southpaw Reed and Eight Others Prevent St. Jeromes' From Scoring

With the Catholics, hard hitters and good baserunners, anxiously endeavoring to get within sight of home plate, and one fair haired chap called Reed and eight others wearing Baptist uniforms disputing their way the aforementioned Catholice were forced to go down to bitter defeat Friday night. Not only that, but it was a shut out, pure and simple, 3 to 0.

Four hits scattered into three innings were the best the Catholics could do with Southpaw Reed's delivery. Two of these came in the second inning and the Catholics came precariously near a score. With one cut Fagula doped one out for a single and Wheeler walked. Brusa singled to right and Fagula tried to score but was caught. After that the Catholics never got nearer a score than second base.

With the game, tight at all times the Baptists had to squeeze in their three runs in one inning, the fourth. Lindsay, first up, waited until four wide ones had passed. Then Scissors McIlvaine laid a beaut in front of the plate and was thrown out. Allshouse followed lengnthy John's example by laying one down, and while Pieper and some more were arguing with the ball, got on first base. Lindsay came in, and Morris played the game by getting chased between first and second. Then Allshouse tried the delayed steal, and successfully pulled it off. Morris after resting on second a moment to take cognizance of affairs took third on a wild heave of Fagula's and on Kelley's error trotted the rest of the way. Score:

Baptists	R	H	P	A	E
Scheiler, 2	0	0	1	2	1
Nutt, 1	0	1	1	0	0
Haywood, 3	0	1	0	0	0
Lindsay, s	1	0	2	2	0
McIlvaine, 1	0	1	6	0	0
Allshouse, r	1	1	1	1	0
Moris, m	1	1	2	0	0
Mason, c	0	0	8	0	1
Reed, p	0	0	0	1	0
Total	3	5	21	6	2

Catholices	R	H	P	A	E
Oates, 1	0	1	0	0	0
Kelley, 2	0	0	2	2	1
Deitz, s	0	0	1	1	0
Mossioux, 1	0	1	5	0	1
F. Buchanan, 1	0	0	1	0	0
Pieper, 3	0	0	1	1	1
Fagula, c	0	1	10	0	2
Wheeler, r	0	0	0	0	0
Brusa, m	0	1	0	0	0
Condon, m	0	0	0	0	0
Beno, p	0	0	1	3	0
Total	0	4	21	7	5

Baptists ....0 0 0 3 0 0 0—3
Catholics ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Two base hit—McIlvaine. Stolen bases—Nutt, Allshouse 2, Morris 2, Kelley, Fagula. Sacrifice hit—McIlvaine. Struck out—By Reed 7, by Beno 9. Bases on balls—Off Reed 5, off Beno 2. Umpires—Byland and Mathias.

Charleroi Church League

Yesterday's Results

Baptists, 3 Catholics, 0

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Episcopals	4	1	800
Lutherans	3	1	750
Catholics	4	2	667
First Pres.	2	2	500
W. A. Pres	2	3	400
Baptists	2	3	400
Christians	2	4	334
Methodists	1	4	200

Games Next Week

Monday
Catholics vs. First Pres.

Tuesday
Baptists vs. Methodists

Wednesday
Baptists vs. First Pres.

Thursday
Episcopals vs. W. A. Pres.

Friday
Lutherans vs. Christians

BASEBALL BINGLES

Beno pitched some ball, too, by the way. The Baptists only got five hits off his delivery.

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Bunting by the Baptists got the Ctholics a trifle atmospheric.

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By mistake Jolliffe was credited with an error in the box score of the Christian—Washington Avenue game Jolliffe not only fielded his game clearly, but pitched jim-dandy ball in the bargain.

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Reed certainly deserves credit for the way he handled the heavy hitters. Imagine "Mutts" Deitz striking out three times out of four at bat.

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With John McIlvaine to coach Capt. Herbert Mason certaily has his team working in good shape.

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The game last night easily takes rank as one of the best and most interesting of the season.

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Scissors McIlvaine hit one for two bags on the first ball thrown to him the first time up. The next time at bat he sacrificed.

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LOCAL MENTION

H. C. Hepler, C. J. Mathews, Wm Gwynn and W. C. Walters made an automobile trip to Bentleyville, Beallsville, Centerville and Brownsville last evening.

Miss Mary Ailes Freer of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting Miss Eleanor Ailes of Meadow avenue.

Ellis Allman and C. F. Feed will leave Monday for Seattle, Wash., where they will spend about six weeks.

Charles Nicholas has left for his home in England.

Miss Sarah Sields, of Charleroi, the efficient stenographer for Attorney Oliver S. Scott at Donora, is having two weeks' vacation, which she is spending at Atlantic City. Miss Romala Anderson, of Charleroi is relieving Miss Shields.

Mrs. A. C. Peterson, of Homestead was a visitor here today.

Lawrence Avanzina, who has been a guest of Louis Goazioux, editor of L'Union des Travalleurs, has left for Holland.

Miss Mary Chester, who has been atending school at Bethany College has returned home.

Miss Viola Darby who has been engaged in millinery work at New Brighton has returned home.

S. R. Hawkins is spending the day in Pittsburg.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Epicsopal.

Corner of Sixth and Lookout avenue. Trinity Sunday. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8 Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject, "The Doctrine of the Trinity." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject, "Confirmation." All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, pastor.

First Christian.

Bible school at 9:45. Communion and preaching at 11. Sermon topic, "A Study of the Spirit." All who have part in evening program will meet at 2:30. At 7:30 o'clock Children's Day will be observed. The Christian Crusader is the title of the program. Minister, V. G. Hostetter.

Methodist Episcopal.

Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship and sermon at 10:45. Topic, "A Great Church's Excellencies and Defects." Junior Epworth League at 2. Public worship and sermon at 7:45 Topic, "Achan's Sin and Doom." Mid week-service Wednesday at 7:45 A cordial welcome given to all. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Baptist.

Children's Day exercises will be observed at 7:45 o'clock in the evening Rev. Sloan will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 9:30.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching service at 11. The morning offering is for the Board of Church Erection. Reverse side of envelop used. Junior C. E. at 2:15. Senior C. E. at 6:45. Children's Day services will be held at the usual evening hour of preaching service. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45, preaching service at 11:00, Junior C. E. at 2:30, Senior C. E. at 7:00. Rev. Frederick Brown of Lansing, Mich., will preach in the morning and will make a short talk in the evening at the Children's Day exercises.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship at 10:30. Public worship at 7. Prayer meting at 7:30. Brotherhood Thursday at 7:45. Everybody welcome. Rev J. E. Charles, Ph. D. pastor.

School Code Provides No Discount for Taxes

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to his assesment. The directors will fix the tax levy in July.

Another provision of the new code is the assessment of every male resident $1 as an ocupation tax. This will catch all the foreigners, who have hitherto been exempt from contributing any tax for the support of the schools. In collecting this occupation tax the colector can in effect garnishee the wages of taxables who do not pay and are employed by others. The new code also requires directors to advertise for bids for supplies exceeding $300.

Report is Made For May

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handled by clerks during May follow:

	Outgoing	Incoming
First class	73,664	62,763
Second class	6,244	25,358
Third class	6,432	13,978
Fourth class	330	1,016
Foreign letters	1,737	1,911
Registered	358	1,068
Miscellaneous	689	1,083
Total	89,454	107,177

It took thecarriers 2,637 minutes to handle first class mail, outgoing and 26,125 minutes to handle the first clas mail, incoming. Other classes took less time the total time consumed for the incoming being 49,058 minutes. Time spent in the handling of the outgoing mail matter by the carriers was 2,714 minutes. Each piece was handled twice.

The highest number of handlings each piece of mail received by carriers was 16, this of third class matter. The highest number of handlings by clerks was 11 of both second and third class matter.

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When property owners come to pay their local taxes this year they will receive a severe jolt. Instead of getting the customary 5 per cent rebate for payment during the first three months after the duplicate is received by Collector J. W. Mathias, they will be informed that they must pay their school taxes at face value. Then if the taxpayer thinks he will wait six months, the limit before a penalty is added, as he used to do in case he missed paying in time to get the rebate, he will be informed by the urbane collector that if his school tax is not paid by October 1 a penalty of 5 per cent will be added.

This is the provision of the new school code enacted by the last Legislature and approved by Governor Tener, which is now in effect. By its provision the rebate for prompt payment is abolished, and all taxes for school purposes must be paid at face value. The time for penalizing has also been shortened, and 5 per cent is added to all school taxes not paid before October 1. The duplicate is also placed in the hands of the collector, July 1, a month earlier than under the provisions of the old law. The taxpayer has three months in which to pay taxes at face—July August and September.

Under the old law the collector received the duplicate August 1, and all who paid their school taxes during August and September got a 5 per cent rebate. From October 1 to February 1 taxes were collected at face and after that a penalty of 5 per cent was added. As the 5 per cent rebate made a discount worth looking after, the most of the large taxpayers invariably took advantage of it.

According to Ira L Nickeson, secretary of the borough school board the school and building tax assessed on the present valuation at 15 mills, the levy of last year would amount to $49,254.52. Under the old law if this were all paid during the first two months after the tax duplicate was received the 5 per cent rebate would amount to $2,462. As a matter of fact only between $25,000 and $30,000 is usually paid in time to get the rebate, so that the saving to the taxpayers from this source amounted to about $1,500 at the outside. One of the heaviest taxpayers is the Pittsburg Plate Glass company, which is assessed $200,000. With the millage of last year its savings by taking advantage of the rebate would be $150. Should the borough board fix the school and building the tax the same this year as last, the Plate Glass company's school tax will be increased $150. The Macbeth-Evans Glass company's assesment is $75,000; that of the Hussy-Binns Shovel company $65,000, and the Charleroi Brewery $50,000. At the same millage as last year the increase in taxation to these concerns will also be considerable, and every other property holder's tax will be increased in proportion

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Miners Picnic is Postponed

National President John P. White Unable to Come on Data Set

Owing to the fact that John P White, national president of the Mine Workers, was unable to come either on June 28 or June 26, dates set for the holding of the Miner's picnic, the picnic has been postponed until in July. The affair was to have been held at Eldora Park and elaborate preparations were being made by a committee of miners. It was planned to have a number of other national and district officials here in addition to President White. The mines were to be closed.

REPORT IS MADE FOR MAY

Much Mail Handled at Postoffice During Month

INCOMING MAIL IS LARGE

Postmaster J. E. McCardle has completed his report as required of the business handled at the Charleroi postoffice and has sent it to the postoffice department at Washington, D. C. A summary of it shows that the business done at the local postoffice compares well with that done at other towns of a similar size to Charleroi.

The report of the number of pieces handled by carriers during the month follows:

	Outgoing	Incoming
First class........	18,865	53,233
Second class	43	22,182
Third class	377	11,987
Fourth class	23	644
Foreign letters ..	173	1,431
Registered	3	170
Miscellaneous	16	403
Total	19,500	90,050

The report of the number of pieces

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DOUGLAS COLLEGE TO HOLD PICNIC

Invitations have been issued by the Douglas College for the first annual picnic to be held at Eldora Park on Wednesday, June 14. All who ever attended the local school are invited. The outing will take the form of a basket picnic.

J. M. Fleming's garden hose is guaranteed for two years. 254tf

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H Rush, Cashier.

It Developes Character

to save money, and prompt deposits in the Bank soon form a habit which will be found so valuable later in life. Do not delay so important a matter.

Start an account to-day with the First National Bank.

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FAYETTE GRAND JURY APPROVES BRIDGE SITE

Washington County Body to Meet Next Week to Consider Matter of Building West Brownsville Structure

OBJECTIONS ARE FILED BY THE BRIDGE COMPANY

Clarifying the situation for Washington county's grand jury to meet on Monday for special consideration of a proposed bridge at West Brownsville the Fayette county grand jury Friday approved the old site between South Brownsville and West Brownsville. This was after they had received exceptions filed by the old bridge company and private property owners at the Fayette county end of the proposed bridge

The proposed bridge will cost probably $250,000 or $300,000, the burden of which will have to be borne by taxpayers of the two counties. The famous million dollar grand jury which at Washington during May approved at wholesale rate schemes doped out by the county commissioners for spending the people's money far into the [illegible] with the bridge matter at that time, but held up action until this month. No exceptions have been filed to the report of the viewers appointed for Washington county.

The Monongahela Bridge company protested against the old site being chosen in Fayette county under a charter of 1834, claiming that its property is being illegally confiscated. Objecting property owners claim that a new bridge will greatly damage Bridge street in South Brownsville.

HEISEY ELLIOTT WEDS THIS WEEK

Former Charleroi Baseball Player and Miss Crombie Are Married

Augustus Heisey Elliott and Miss Maud Arnett Crombie were married Thursday evening of this week at 8:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride near Fayette City in the presence of a large number of invited guests, by Rev. W. E. Howard. A sumptuous wedding dinner was served. Mr. Elliott is a son of ~~Mrs. Dora Elliot and his wife~~ is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Crombie, both families being prominent socially in the Fayette City and Little Redstone communities. The happy couple will be at home to their friends after an extensive wedding trip.

The groom was formerly a ball player of minor leagues and played at one time with Charleroi.

JUVENILE COURT BENEFIT SUCCESS

Charity "500" Is Well Attended and Neat Sum is Realized

The "500" party given by the local Juvenile Court committee at the Elks Home Friday afternoon was largely attended. A number of tables were in play and pretty favors were awarded the winners. In view of the good work done by the committee in caring for delinquent juveniles the affair was liberally patronized by the business people and residents generally. Nearly all who were approached bought tickets, and a snug sum was realized.

"BOB' NEWTON BACK FROM OHIO STATE

"Bob" Newton, who has been playing third base for Lima, Ohio, in the Ohio State League, is home. Newton played good ball for Lima while he was there and was touted by the Lima papers as one of the comers.

For Sale.

8 room house on lot 150x60 feet on Lookout avenue between 6th and 7th streets. Inquire Max Rossomme, 610 Lookout avenue. 255-2w-tf

The beautiful western scenery is shown in the Great Indian Drama Monday afternoon and evening at the Star theatre. 260t1

An Electric Flat Iron will be given away by the West Penn Electric Co. Look in the window at 528 Fallowfield avenue for particulars. 259t4

ALUMNI ARRANGE FOR A BANQUET

Douglas College Graduates to Hold Annual Affair Latter Part of Month

Arrangements are being made by the Douglas College Alumni Association for their annual banquet and reception to be held on Thursday June 22. At a meeting of the association on Friday night an executive committee consisting of Miss May Barth, Miss Margaret Miller, Miss Alice Gillingham and Paul Ryland was appointed to look after the matter. A committee consisting of John Robinson, George Giles and John Kline was appointed to act with Principal M. Adams in drawing up a constitution.

Plays at Vandergrift.

The Charleroi Independent team of which John McIlvaine is manager is playing at Vandergrift today, in the Independent Association.

WILL ESTABLISH SWIMMING POOL

Donora Will Take up Ordinance Providing for Place at Next Meeting

The Donora council will establish a swimming pool and regulate its use. An ordinance to this effect will be presented at next the meeting of council. Hours will be established for bathing under police regulatins, with an officer on duty to enforce the rules and protect the boys from danger of drowning.

WILL DEDICATE PITTSBURG HOME

Local people are interested in the dedication of the Frances Campbell Hamilton Memorial Home for the aged on Thursday afternoon, June 15. This institution is located in Pittsburg. On the same date the Board of Managers will hold their first annual reception and donation day. The reception will follow the dedication service. In the evening there will be "open house" with a program of music. All are invited to attend and inspect the Home and its working.

Belle Vernon's Tax 15 Mills.

Belle Vernon school board Thursday night reorganized by the re-election of Dr. G. E. Nickel as president and J. A. Wilson as secetary. The tax levy was made 11 mills for school and 4 mills for sinking fund. Last year it was [illegible] and 5. School will open on August 28.

Demonstration

Ladies to travel and sell house to house.

Call Room 33,
Wellington Hotel.
259t1

TEACHERS ARE ELECTED FOR CHARLEROI SCHOOLS

Carrie Nation Dies in Kansas

Noted Saloon Smasher Passes Away After Brief Illness at Sanitarium

Mrs Carie Nation, of hatchet fame, because of her fanatical attemt to banish saloons by physical force, died Friday night at 7 o'clock at a sanitarium in Leavenworth, Kan, from paresis, said to be due partly to worry brought on by a lawsuit to recover money due her from an eastern syndicate. She was about 65 years old.

From her lecturing as well as her methods of attacking the liquor trade, she gained considerable fame. She is known in Western Pennsylvania. Twice she lectured at Eldora Park at other points of this part of the country

SITE IS SECURED FOR PARK

Monessen Council Passes Ordinance for Improvement

MEETS WITH MUCH FAVOR

The Monessen council has passed a park ordinance on third and final reading. By this action about ten acres of ground pass into the possession of the borough, as the gift of the East Side Land company, the acceptance carrying with it a financial obligation covering a period of fourteen years. The sum of $4,500 is to be spent on improvements during this year, $3,000 per year for the next four years and $2,000 per year for nine years thereafter.

The parks are located at Ninth and Sixth streets and will afford convenient and comfortable breathing spots for sweltering humanity during the summer months. While there is in some quarters a felling that Monessen's present needs along other lines of improvements make the expenditures in prospect a burden, it will without question be shown in the near future that Monessen's parks are institutinos which it would have been unwise to forego.

Eating a Pleasure Here.

During the warm weather we have provided a cool place for our patrons to enjoy their meals. Besides having a cool place we are always ready to serve you with an attractive menu. With us quality is the first consideration—poor goods can't get in our kitchen at any price. We will be glad to have you come regularly or for special occasions.

Efficient service and right prices are making our restaurant a very popular place Busy Bee Resturant 247tf 1

Instructors for Various Buildings Are Selected

CHANGE IN PRINCIPALS

New Ones Chosen Teaching Force Contains Four New Names

The teaching force with the exception of four teachers have been chosen by the school board of Charleroi for the ensuing year. So far the list contains only four changes from last year's force. Prof I. T. Daniel, for two years music director in the schools was re-elected. There will be some change in the principals this year. Neither Miss Grace Zillafro principal at Fifth street nor Miss Beatrice Chapman, principal at Ninth street will be back. Principals elected were Misses Nellie G Lee, Etta M. Work and Mary Thomson. The other principal is held over.

The names that are in the list are Misses Mildred Lowstutter, Jean Whitehead, and Ruth Rice, Charleroi and Miss Dora Williamson, of Davistown. Misses Whitehead and Rice have both taught here before, but did not teach last year in the local schools. The teaching force is as follows:

Misses Bernette McDonough, Elizabeth Elliott, Ruth Rice, Bertha V. Oiler, Florence Crill, Vida Goehring, Elizabeth Noble, Gertrude Wise, Dora Williamson, Ida Hugg, Judith Collins, Ruth L. Shutt, Ella Greenwood, Fannie Arrison, Della Swan, Elizabeth Wyatt, Jean Hawthorne.

Mrs Dolly Jeffries, Misses Mildred Lowstutter, Edith Woodhall, Mary V. Lewis, Harriet Wagner, Harriet Jolliffe, Mary McGee, Mary Blankenbuehler, Florence Montgomery, Jean Whitehead.

Mina Houseman, Grace Sloan, Edna Grove, Ina Kline, Nelle Hopkins, Ruth Middleton, Winifred C. Martin, Nora M. Swan, Mary Kelley.

The high school teachers were elected at a previous meeting. They are Miss Mary Walters, D. C. Willard, and W. A. Swick. Salaries of all the teachers elected have been fixed

Made Address.

Among the addresses made at the convention the past week at Wellsburg, W. Va., of the Washington county district, of the Epworth League was one by Rev. F. A. Richards, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church of Charleroi. Rev. Richards spoke on "Our Peril" at the afternoon meeting on Thursday.

Be sure to see the great scene in the Railroad Builder at the Star Monday afternoon and evening 260t1

Bamboo Porch Awnings.

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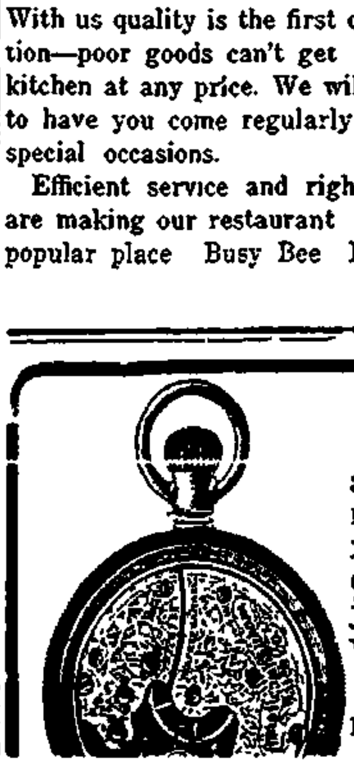

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June 10 In American History.

1801—The United States entered on a war with Tripoli.
1861—Battle of Big Bethel.
1906—Mary Putnam Jacobi, noted woman physician, died; born 1842.
1909—Rev. Dr Edward Everett Hale died in Roxbury, Mass.; born 1822.
1910—The Half Moon turned over to New York Palisades park commission as custodian for the people of the state of New York.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7 26, rises 4 24, moon sets 3:52 a. m.; sun's declination, 23 degrees north of celestial equator.

CHARLEROI MUST HUSTLE

By an ordinance providing for the maintenance and improvement, Monessen secures a public park. This is a tract of land embracing about ten acres, which is donated by the Monessen Land company under the stipulation that a certain amount of money be expended each year for a specified time for improvement and maintenance. A few years hence Monessen's public park will not only be a distict feature in advertising and booming the town, but it will be an inspiration and a stimulus for further efforts in town planning and improvement.

If Charleroi proposes to keep in the running and retain its prestige among the river towns, it will have to begin to do something in the line of town planning and improvement. There is talk of the borough purchasing a plot of ground which may be utilized for both a playground for the children and a recreation park for the people. Each year this is put off makes it harder to attain, as sites that are available now will be occupied, and land values increase. One of the first questions asked of a town nowadays is, What has it done, and what is it doing in the way of civic improvements? This feature is emphasized in the survey of the larger towns and cities made by the State. The civic movements in all the towns are featured, which is the best kind of [illegible] indicates a wide awake and progressive community.

It is up to the citizens of Charleroi to crystalize sentiment on some plan of town improvement, and then elect a council in sympathy with it and see that it is carried out. If nothing is done in this line other towns along the river will beat Charleroi out in the struggle for supremacy.

HELP THE LEAGUE.

The Charleroi Church Baseball League announces that it will have a "Booster Day," for the purpose of recouping the treasury. June 19 is the date set, and workers for the League will "tag" the people during the day, and a game will be played at which a slightly increased admission will be charged, including the ladies The expense incurred in fitting up the ground has been excessive, and the receipts of the games with a nominal admission for men have not been sufficient to pay the indebtedness.

As this league is exclusively a home affair it is worthy of a contribution on "Booster Day." The person "tagged" is supposed to donate a quarter. This is a nominal sum pro rata, but a large number of such donations will [illegible] hole The league is a form of civic amusement that is working particularly well, and its presence is really a financial asset to the town. It furnishes regular recreation for a large class of people who would otherwise take their recreation at intervals out of town. The games are a pleasant diversion for the people, and the aid asked will be but trifling from each individual

ELECTRIC SPARKS

It's natural enough that there should be a fight for district attorney in Washington county. Especially with so many really good lawyers to make things merry

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The trouble with the job of a school teacher is that it gets on one's nerves at election time The same trouble might apply to the jobs of a few men in public positions.

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The Kansas City editor who says that red headed women are the most beautiful has the sympathy of all who are engaged to marry women with braids of the same hue.

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Some men like summer only for the reason that they can get to show their Panama hats

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Women are not the only vain creatures in the world. Most men have vanity enough when they go to buy a suit to think anything looks nice on them

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A Reno widow has returned $700,000 to a rejected suitor. The case is too extreme either for ejaculation or speculation. She belongs to the same ward in which Harry Thaw is confined.

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People don't any more than get through with the hunters in the winter time until the automobile cranks appear in the spring time and continue the killing and maiming with the same rapadity.

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It's hard to make a record, but it's a blame sight harder to keep one after it is made.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Washington as a municipality feels insulted. A delegation of McKeesport councilmen, headed by the mayor of the Tube City, recently visited the county seat to look at the sewage disposal plant there, and were evidently not at all pleased with their official reception. At all events the McKeesport crowd accumulated a grouch, and on their return gave out some stuff to the newspapers in the form of a roast for the borough officials of Washington.

Evidently the McKeesport bunch was not asked out to "take somethin.'" for the reason there is supposed to be nothing to "take" in Washington One of the complaints made was that no one seemed to know anything about affairs at the county seat. The turnkey at the police station is said not to have known the name of the burgess, and the borough clerk could not tell the location of the sewage disposal plant, having never visited the institution In locating the sewage disposal plant the most definite directions that could be obtained was to board a street car and get off at a certain point, then "follow the stink"

"The most remarkable play I ever saw in baseball occurred in an amateur game like one of these," remarked a traveling man who sat in the bleachers at one of the Church League games the other night. "A man was on third base when a batter knocked a Texas Leaguer which was caught by the middle fielder, who was playing in and made a hard run. As soon as the ball was caught the the man on third started to steal home and the middle fielder pegged the ball to the catcher but made a wild throw, the ball going ten feet over the catcher's head. It struck the netting in front of the grand stand and stuck in the meshes. As soon as the catcher saw the ball go over his head he wheeled in time to see it land and stick in the wire netting Quick as a flash he grabbed up his mask from the ground where he had thrown it, and racing to the grand stand hurled the mask at the ball. It struck the sphere, loosened it and the catcher gathered it up and fired it to the pitcher who had run to the home plate who retired the man stealing from third It was the most marvelous instance of quick thinking I ever witnessed on the ball field."

Give Credit Where It's Due

Somehow the impression has become existent in spots that Governor Tener and the General Assembly of [illegible] and Scranton of the right of self-government by enacting a new charter and appointing councilmen. Some of the most active workers for a change in the system of government for Pittsburg have been busily engaged in spreading this erroneous view to further their own political interests Col T. J. Keenan and many of his associates in the movement have frankly expressed themselves as more than satisfied with the appointees of the Governor. They are honestly pleased and earnestly hopeful that great good has been accomplished by the aid of the Governor.

It repuires much time and money to change a government by election. No man in Pittsburg was in a position to say that a special election of councilmen at this time, or 30 days after the act was signed, would have resulted in the choice of men competent or willing to give the new system a fair trial Half of the councilmen ousted would have spent their last dollar to secure vindications at the hands of their ward constituencies A fierce factional fight would not have been avoided. At least two months would hardly have been sufficient to organize an elected council of nine men As it is the Governor has named excellent men for these offices, only a few of whom would have been candidates for election under any circumstances. And in November the people make their own choice and shoulder the responsibility ~~for the~~ government. Even the Canonsburg Notes applauds the Governor's appointments.

The Philadelphia Record not only unreservedly endorses the small council, elected at large, but takes the trouble to say that the people have not been robbed of any rights. It is only those who set it down as a rule of their political conduct that nothing good can come out of a Republican administration who now attempt to belittle the big things done by Tener and the legislature.—Washington Record.

Seeing Is Doubting.

"Seeing is believing, eh?" said an oculist. "Well, no saw was ever more absurd than that. You see a horse's head and a flour barrel, and you believe the barrel is longer than the horse's head don't you? Well, it isn't. The horse's head from the tips of his ears to the end of his nose is longer than the barrel by a considerable distance. Architects have to deceive the eye in order to make it appear that their buildings are symmetrical They make walls lean in that they may appear vertical. They make windows wider at the top They make columns thicker in the middle than at the summit or base. And the top lines of a building, in order to appear plumb to the silly eye of man, must be raised up quite a lot in the center

"Seeing is believing, indeed!"—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Apple Pie Without Apples.

A guest at an old fashioned home dinner was eulogizing apple pie and her hostess when another guest, who had been a California pioneer, recalled the "apple" pie given the children of 1852 to appease their homesick cravings when apples were a dollar a pound. It was made by breaking four soda crackers into an earthern bowl and pouring over them a pint of cold water rendered very tart by citric acid. When soft the crackers were laid on a pie plate on the undercrust Over them were sifted two tablespoonfuls of light brown sugar and a little allspice and cinnamon. A pretty perforated top crust was added, and in a few minutes a perfect apple pie was taken from the oven to delight young and old.—New York Sun.

Self Restraint.

"Doctor, I've come to see you about my wife. I'm afraid there's something serious the matter with her."

"I'm sorry to hear that. What are her symptoms?"

"Why, the other day, when I was out of town, she had occasion to go to my office, and there she found several letters marked 'Private' that she didn't open."—Chicago Record-Herald.

STOPPING A NOSEBLEED.

By This Method It Is Simply a Matter of Imagination

In many experiments carried on during the last few years it has been ascertained that the mind controls to a wonderful extent the flow of blood to a particular part of the body The following experiment has been tried as many as ten times by me and has [illegible] failed once

When the nose starts to bleed, immediately persuade yourself to believe that you are running with all your might up the steepest flight of steps you can think of or up a high hill, that is, just think of doing either of these things and doing it fast. Think at the same time that you are carrying a heavy piece of baggage with both hands and add thoughts of any other bodily exertion You will be surprised at the quickness with which your trouble ends

The explanation is that when we really start to run more blood is given to the arteries supplying the muscles of the legs than they were receiving while at rest. This has been proved As the same thoughts in the mind produce approximately the same bodily effects, if one merely thinks to run but does not run, the blood will go to [illegible] head, as desired

There are many common experiences of secretions started by thoughts. If one looks at a lemon and thinks of sucking it his mouth immediately waters, and I have no doubt that many people who read this will have their mouths watering from the simple reading—Lawrence Hodges in Chicago Record Herald.

BUFFALO TONGUES.

The Blackfoot Indians Used to Turn Them Into Hairbrushes.

"Walrus whisker toothpicks and buffalo tongue hairbrushes!" the explorer cried.

And he displayed a packet of black toothpicks tied with a strip of red rawhide and a flat black hairbrush that seemed molded out of rubber.

"These two articles," said the explorer, "are of strictly native manufacrure—native American manufacture Take the toothpicks first. They are made by the Indians of Alaska. The Indians, whenever they kill a walrus, pluck from his face his long and stiff whiskers, cure them and ship them to the Chinese At every fashionable Chinese dinner you will see the stately mandarins between each course picking their teeth with these walrus whisker toothpicks.

"It's the Blackfoot Indians who use buffalo tongue hairbrushes A buffalo's tongue is rough. The spines on it make very good hairbrush bristles And these bristles in a Blackfoot brush don't come out, for the Blackfoot simply skins his buffalo tongue, cuts it in hairbrush shape, cures it, and there you are

Every Blackfoot in the past had his buffalo hairbrush. But those days are gone—gone with the buffalo herds—and where in the fifties you could buy a good buffalo tongue brush on the plains for a ladle of puppy dog stew I doubt if you could get one now for a keg of firewater"—Washington Post.

When Empress Eugenie Was Young.

I was so lost in admiration of this wonderful Empress Eugenie that in dancing in the royal quadrille with the Russian consul I forgot to make the usual steps. Everything was symmetrically perfect in her, the slender graceful figure with the beautifully modeled shoulders, which were enhanced by the white dress she wore, profusely embroidered with pearls and silver Her exquisite shape attracted me perhaps even more than did the classically beautiful head, with the noble regular features and the auburn hair, upon which sparkled a royal diadem Her charming smile bewitched me as much as did the few friendly words she addressed to me in her melodious voice.—Princess von Racowit's Autobiography.

The Torpedo Fish.

The torpedo fish, known to scientists as the Torpedo electricus, are the electric catfish of the Nile They can give an electric shock similar to that of an electric Leyden jar. This is useful to the fish in stunning prey and in confounding their enemies. This shock, like any other electricity, may be conducted through a metallic substance and is often unpleasant, though not dangerous It is conveyed through an iron spear or knife, so that the person holding either of these implements may receive a shock when it comes in contact with the fish—St. Nicholas.

Giving Them Their Due.

"It was simply a question of veracity between us," said the oldest inhabitant. "He said I was a liar, and I said he was one"

"Humph!" rejoined the village post master. "That's the first time I ever heard of either of you telling the truth."—London Mail.

Their Views of It.

He—Did you see the pleased expression on her face when I told her she didn't look any older than her daughter? She—No; I was looking at the expression on her daughter's face.—Detroit Free Press.

When He Buys Chips.

It isn't always patriotism that prompts a man's interest in the red, white and blue. Sometimes it's poker.—Philadelphia Record.

Distinction is the consequence, never the object, of a great mind.—Washington Allston

The American Born Princess.

My father, Prince Napoleon Lucien Charles, was in exile in the United States, and so it happened that I was born in America on the borders of the Delaware. I came into the world with the last sigh of the old year—that is to say, at midnight on the 31st of December, 1833. I have said that my father was in exile. When he was eleven years old his mother left Naples with her four children—two boys and two girls—and retired to the Chateau de Frohsdorff, taking the title of Comtesse de Lipona—Napoli transposed There my father lived till he was joined by his uncle, the Emperor Napoleon's eldest brother, King Joseph of Spain, who on the fall of the first empire had retired to the United States and taken a lovely place near Bordentown, N. J. where he lived for eleven years as Count de Survilliers. It was at Bordentown that I entered this sorry world, my father having in 1831 married a Miss Carolina Georgina Fraser of Scotch origin, descending from the old family of Lovat.—Princess Caroline Murat's "Memoirs"

A Shock to Vanity.

"My wife gave me a birthday present that has a tendency to take the conceit out of any man who thinks he's [illegible] man who shaves himself. "I confess that I have all along had a sort of sneaking idea that I had a little more than my share of manly beauty; that when it came to a showdown I was there with the goods. But not any more I'm cured And my wife's present did it. What was it? Why, simply one of those shaving glasses that magnify three times. The first time I used it I got a view of my face that rather startled me. Every blemish, every wild hair under the skin, every open pore, all the minute ugliness that isn't apparent to the naked eye—these things confronted me in all their magnified repulsiveness I used the glass just once and then accidentally dropped it down the air shaft to the basement below. I don't want to look like a monstrosity every time I shave myself."—New York Times.

The Addition.

"What makes you act so grouchy this morning, Dobkins?"

"Had an addition to my family."

"What? Why, you ought to be ashamed to be gloomy over that! To think that a normal human being should be angry because of the advent of such a cherub! Do you actually grudge a place in your happy home to an innocent creature fresh from heaven, bringing with it the very fragrance of those celestial realms? Do you greet with an unwelcoming chill a small epitome of all purity and sweetness given into your keeping as a priceless though undeserved treasure by a too benevolent Providence? A lovely copy of what fancy feigns the angels to be like—a tiny shred of grace and glory snatched from the"—

"Say, that's very pretty, but do you know you're talking about my mother-in-law?"—New York Journal.

A Cow For a Life.

The Ober Gabelhorn is a peak notorious for the dangerous cornices which decorate its upper ridges Of many accidents reported in connection with it perhaps the most remarkable, says G D Abraham in "Swiss Mountain Climbs," was the adventure which befell an amateur and his young guide In passing along the dangerous final cornice it suddenly gave way under the amateur, and he went flying through space to apparent destruction. The guide at the other end of the rope seemed in hopeless plight, but with astounding presence of mind he flung himself down the opposite side of the ridge, thus saving two lives. The rope cut deep into the snow above, but held firm The young guide's name was Ulrich Almer. His reward was a cow

A Horticultural Puzzle.

"It's no use," sighs the nature wizard "I may as well give up."

"What is bothering you?" we ask sympathetically.

"I got started a few years ago on a whim of mine I took a head of cabbage and crossed it with a white potato and grew eyes on it; then I crossed that with a cornstalk and grew ears on it, then I crossed that with a squash and grew a neck on it; then I crossed that with a cocoanut and grew hair on it, but hanged if I can figure out what to do for a nose and mouth!"—St. Louis Republic.

Made Him Feel Older.

The late Archbishop Ryan illuminated every subject he discussed, and once at a banquet in Philadelphia he illuminated strangely the subject of old age.

"We ourselves," he said, "never seem to grow old. Our hearts remain young, and even our faces in the glass don't look old, as do our friends' faces. One day on Chestnut street a very withered and bent graybeard accosted me.

"'Why,' he said, 'don't you remember me? We were classmates at Carlow college.'"

Archbishop Ryan paused, then added whimsically:

"I was taken aback. I was shocked. I knew he was my age, but I had no idea I was his."—Washington Star.

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AMONG THE THEATRES

The Palace—Charleroi.

Striking photplays at the Palace Theatre this week were "Semiramis" a magnificent portrayal of the period when Ninus was King of Babylon. "Madeline's Rebellion" was a most pleasing comedy in which two American girls indulge in merry pranks that had a happy ending. "The Feud" was a thrilling melodrama of the breezy west, while "The Little Shephardess" was a pretty story of a peasant emigrant love affair. "In Time of Press," was a realistic portrayal of a graphic newspaper beat that had a pretty love story intermingled. Louis Brusa the popular tenor, had two snappy illustrated songs, "Skipper Susie Green" and "In Honeysuckle Time." The orchestra gives a most enjoyable open air concert nightly from the balcony of the Theatre"

The Star—Charleroi.—

Manager Tom Cowan of the Star Theatre made a ten-strike this week when he secured for Thursday afternoon and evening the $30,000 motion picture in two reels. "The Fall of Troy." This great spectacular production of the famous epic showed 2,000 armored gladiators engaged in battle, together with the spectacular destruction of the city by fire. Scene after scene of amazing grandeur was presented, showing beautiful women. dashing chariot races, and thrilling combats, in which the famed Paris and Menelaus take part. This carefully selected program of the best films was presented composed of humor and drama, with educational and spectacular subjects. Under the new management the Star is a most popular theatre.

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W. E. Lane, County Treasurer.

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JOHN BANISTER.

An English Violinist Who Won Fame In the Seventeenth Century.

Public concerts owe their direct encouragement to John Banister, who had won fame by his playing on the violin and who succeeded the celebrated Baltzar as leader of Charles II.'s band of twenty-four violins. Pepys, in an entry in his diary for February, 1667, tells us the court gossip of the day—"how the king's viallin Banister is mad that the king hath a Frenchman come to be chief of some part of the king's musique."

Banister's concerts at the close of the year 1672 were advertised in the London Gazette as follows: "These are to give notice that at Mr John Banister's house (now called the musick school), over against the George tavern in White Fryers, the present Monday will be musick performed by excellent masters, beginning precisely at 4 of the clock in the afternoon, and every afternoon for the future precisely at the same hour."

Four years later on we read again, "At the academy in Little Lincoln's Inn Fields will begin the first part of the parley of instruments, composed by Mr. John Banister." The admis- [illegible] ling, and these concerts seem to have been held pretty regularly down to within a short time of Banister's death, which took place in 1679.—London Graphic.

The Peanut.

The common peanut originally came probably from tropical America. Peanuts were introduced into the United States in the days of the colonies. Botanically the peanut belongs to the same group of plants as beans and peas. but the peanut matures its fruit or nut under the surface of the soil, not above ground, as do most other leguminous plants. Properly speaking, the peanut is a pea rather than a nut, the term "nut" having been added on account of its flavor, which is similar to that of many of the true nuts. The peanut is known under the local names of goober, goober pea, pindar, groundpea and groundnut.

Only on the Outside

"Why, Ethel, you don't mean to tell me you want to marry that baldheaded Professor Wiseman?"

"It is true he is bald," said Ethel, "but think how many young men of today are bald on the inside of their heads."

DANGER IN DELAY

Kidney Diseases Are Too Dangerous For Charleroi People to Neglect.

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Mrs Robert Coulter, 207 Prospect avenue, Charleroi, Pa., says: "Some years ago my son contracted the measles and on recovering. I noticed that his kidneys were weak. He had no control over the kidney secretions and this was especially annoying at night. I had often seen Doan's Kidney Pills highly advertised in the local papers and was finally induced to procure a supply at Piper Bros.' Drug Store. I had my son use them according to directions, and before long he was greatly benefitted. He is still using Doan's Kidney Pills, and I am certain that a complete cure will soon be effected.

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SEARCHLIGHT RAYS.

The Effect When the Beams Penetrate a Foggy Atmosphere.

Nearly everybody is familiar with the beam of a searchlight and knows why the beam is visible. while light itself cannot be seen unless it strikes the eye, its visibility being due to particles in the air which really do reflect the light to the eye. On a foggy night, if one will notice, the beam seems to come abruptly to an end if the light is pointed upward. It does this instead of gradually fading away into nothing, as it does pointed horizontally on a uniformly foggy night.

The thing is rather puzzling to one first seeing it. but the reason is not far to seek. Where the end of the beam seems to be there is the place the fog ends, for the beam cannot be visible to us unless there are small particles in its path. This is of great help to sailors in judging of the state of the weather, for they can tell exactly how thick the frog is, or, rather, how deep it is. They can also tell by throwing the light horizontally whether the fog is universal or occurring only in patches, for if extending to a great distance the beam gradually gets dimmer and dimmer. but if in patches the beam is [illegible] through a place with no fog at all that part of the beam is black or invisible —New York Tribune.

COFFEE AND TEA.

The Bean Improves With Age, While the Leaf Deteriorates.

Coffee beans improve with age. Five year old coffee is better than the new crop and fetches a higher price in the market. In two years coffee will lose 10 per cent in weight, but it will increase more than 10 per cent in price. Coffee should be used quickly after roasting. If the brown beans appear oily the oil should be dried off in a quick, hot oven; otherwise it will undergo a chemical change which will affect the flavor.

While coffee beans dry with age, teas absorb moisture even when in zinc lined chests. Tea likewise deteriorates with age. It doesn't lose strength so much as it does its drawing quality, which is another name for flavor or bouquet. So careful are the tea packers to insure an entire absence of moisture from the tea when being placed in the zinc or lead lined chests that they have the tea leaves sun dried and then heated before packing. The tea goes into the chests too hot to handle with bare hands and is sealed up in air tight packages before it has time to cool and before the slightest suggestion of moisture reaches it.—New York World

A Word For Sugar.

Pure candy is good for children. Pure sugar is good for grown people. Of course there are exceptions to every rule. If the doctor prescribes a diet and orders a patient to refrain from sweets the patient is bound to obey his adviser. What is the use of calling a physician and paying him for suggestions if the latter are treated with indifference? People in ordinary health need not be afraid to gratify an appetite which craves sweets. Those who have looked into the matter have been telling us lately that soldiers on the march hold out better if they have rations of sugar than if their food omits this useful commodity. A fondness for sugar is often a defense against the temptation to use alcoholic stimulants. The inebriate does not care very much about pure sweets.—Christian Herald.

The Age of Linen.

It is highly probable that the manufacture of linens is of greater antiquity than that of silk. Archaeologists generally admit that the mummy cloth of the most ancient dynasties was a variety of finest linen. The Egyptian and Jewish priests wore it at all their ceremonies. We find mention of fine linens all through the Old and New Testaments. When the queen of Sheba visited Solomon she was habited in linen. In Revelation the angels are clothed in "pure and white linen." Genesis tells us that Pharaoh arrayed Joseph in vestures of fine linen. Silk is mentioned in the Bible only four times.

The Mystic Seven.

A certain fond father sent his son to the University of Pennsylvania last fall. As a farewell piece of advice he told the young man that "his success was almost assured. since both the word success and your name contain seven letters." The midyear examinations, however, proved to be his doom, and he was compelled to return home.

"Well," said his father, "didn't you keep in mind what I told you about the seven letters?"

"I did that, father," answered the boy. "but you must remember that there are also seven letters in failure." —Philadelphia Times.

Money Panic.

"What was the worst money panic you ever saw?" asked one financier of another.

"The worst money panic I ever saw," was the reply, "was when a fifty cent piece rolled under the seat of a street car and seven different women claimed it."—Exchange.

Tyranny.

There are few minds to which tyranny is not delightful. Power is nothing but as it is felt, and the delight of superiority is proportionate to the resistance overcome.—Johnson.

Every production of genius must be the production of enthusiasm.—Disraeli.

PREPARED FOR DEFEAT.

Precautions General Taylor Took Before Meeting Santa Anna.

Santa Anna was the greatest military leader the Mexicans have ever known. Santa Anna, with 25,000 veterans, went into the battle of Buena Vista with the avowed purpose of exterminating the entire army of the United States, and there was no doubt in the mind of Santa Anna that this great feat could be accomplished with comparative ease. General Taylor, with his 5,000 men, prepared for the unequal contest, and not only defended himself successfully, but won a substantial victory from his aggressive antagonists and drove them from the battlefield of Buena Vista.

Some time after the battle was fought and the Mexican war concluded General Taylor was criticised for having made no preparations for the retreat of his army in the event of defeat. General Taylor promptly replied: "I made every preparation necessary for the battle of Buena Vista. I wrote my will, and so did nearly every man in my army. If we had not won that battle we would have needed no lines of retreat. It was, from our standpoint, victory or annihilation. The only [illegible] the contingency of defeat at Buena Vista was that we should write our wills."

MAN AND THE WORLD.

A Very Small Graveyard Would Hold the Whole Human Family.

How little mankind signifies in the scheme of nature is shown by a rather morose calculation of the Italian Professor Zuccarini, who has figured out, among other things, that estimating the world's population as 1,500,000,000 the whole human race at present living could stand comfortably shoulder to shoulder in an area of 500 square miles.

Taking the number of generations in the past 6,000 years as 200, the room taken up by them all on the above plan would only be half the size of Germany or for the sake of comparison less than the area of the state of Colorado. To bury all the people on earth would need a graveyard little larger than that area.

If the dust left by each body be estimated at one-tenth cubic yard, which is a liberal estimate, it would cover only forty square miles to a depth of about three feet. This certainly seems insignificant compared with the great coral reefs and other immense deposits built up by the shells of tiny infusoria.—New York Sun.

His Security.

When Eben Foster asked Squire Lane to lend him $200 to invest in the dry goods business the squire dryly inquired what Mr. Foster had to offer him in the way of security.

"Security?' said Eben, with an air of injured dignity. "Well, squire, I'll tell you what I have to offer—three solid silver teaspoons, a handsome brass warming pan, a pair of decalcomany vases, large size, and the material for as much as three feather beds, if not four, right on the backs o' my flock o' geese, an' five Plymouth Rock hens.

"You can call 'em all yours till I pay the money back, an' I'll take care of 'em for you free of charge. I don't know what anybody could want more'n that for security."—Youth's Companion.

The American Indian.

The old question of the origin of the red man of America is still an open one, the last word by no means having been said. The most probable theory is that which links the Indian with the Mongoloids of East Africa, whose physical characteristics are strikingly similar to those of the American aborigine. Between the Indian and the Japanese there are many pronounced resemblances, and some excellent authorities are of the opinion that it was from that eastern race that the Indian originally sprung. If, as some think, the Eskimos are the best representatives of the Indian as he was upon his arrival here, the theory of the Japanese origin is immensely strengthened, since the likeness between the Eskimo and the Japanese is striking indeed.—New York American.

Logic of the Land.

A specimen of rustic reasoning which is too good to lose is recorded in Mr. R. L. Gales' "Studies In Arcady." "A barber," he says, "was telling me with great gusto how he had refuted an atheist. I inquired what arguments he had employed.

"'I asked the atheist,' said the barber, 'what portion of the Scriptures he based his ideas upon.'

"'What did he say to that?'

"'Never a word.'

"The defeat had been crushing and final."

Not Her Kind.

"Have you heard," asked Mrs. Oldcastle, "that Grace Moneylove has married an octogenarian?"

"Mercy sakes!" exclaimed Mrs. Justrich. "Is that so? Well, he may be all right, but I want to tell you I've never seen a man who wouldn't eat meat that I'd live with."—Judge.

Not to Blame.

Lady—But this fish isn't fresh! Fishmonger—And whose fault is that? I offered it to you at the beginning of the week and you wouldn't have it then.—London Telegraph.

The mind ought sometimes to be amused that it may the better return to thought and to itself.

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Choice of lot of fine white Madras dimities aed swisses regularly selling at 25c and 35c per yard Sale price 19c

HUMAN SKULL PUZZLE.

A Cavity That May Have Been the Seat of a Sixth Sense.

Despite the progress of physiology the study of the human body is full of mystery. Some of its well known organs have never revealed either their uses or the reason of their creation. The part played by the sp... in human life was discovered but recently. It is now regarded as one of the principal agents in the circulation of the blood. But there are in the marvelous human organism mysterious parts which it is possible that no savant, however profound his learning, may ever understand. For instance, in the skull, behind the cartilage of the nose, there is a little cavity of unknown origin. Physiologists believe that at one time—several thousand generations ago—it contained a gland consisting of two lobes joined by their common base.

This cavity—the delta turcica—is, in the opinion of certain savants, the vestige of a sixth sense which was of great use to the antediluvian ancestors of man. It is believed that this little gland enabled them to see in the darkness when they had not yet learned the secret of procuring light; that it was the seat of the mysterious sense of situation or locality, the power to orient their course, the sense so highly developed to this day in savages and certain animals. The theory is plausible, but it is doubtful whether man will ever acquire any real knowledge of the reason for the existence of the delta turcica.—Exchange.

Told Him In Few Words.

A man once wrote to the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, the famous preacher, saying that he had heard he smoked and could not believe it to be true. Would Mr. Spurgeon write and tell him if it really was so? The reply was:

"Dear Sir—I cultivate my flowers and burn my weeds. Yours truly, C. H. Spurgeon."

Puzzling.

Millions—Do you think you will learn to like your titled son-in-law?
Billions—I don't know. I can't tell where to place him in my expense account. He is neither a recreation nor an investment.

No Wonder He Was Ugly.

"What's your husband so ugly about?"

"He's been out of work six weeks."

"I should think that would suit him first rate!"

"That's it! He's just got a job today.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

Not His Fault.

"You pay too little attention to your personal appearance Remember that clothes make the man."

"Yes, but for me the man says he won't make any more clothes!"—Dorfbarbier.

The Modern Child.

"When you come home from school bring a pound of sugar with you."

"Sorry, mother, but our union forbids us to carry anything else but our school satchels."—Pele Mele.

Breaking It Gently.

Beginner—Now you've seen my style do you think you can tell me what sort of a golfer I shall make? Professional—Yes, sir, if you can stand the shock.—World of Golf.

The Real Truth.

The truth about mothers-in-law is that they have kept many a son-in-law from having to work for a living.—Galveston News.

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BAPTISTS SHUT OUT CATHOLICS BY 3 0 SCORE

Southpaw Reed and Eight Others Prevent St. Jeromes' From Scoring

With the Catholics, hard hitters and good baserunners, anxiously endeavoring to get within sight of home plate, and one fair haired chap called Reed and eight others wearing Baptist uniforms disputing their way the aforementioned Catholice were forced to go down to bitter defeat Friday night. Not only that, but it was a shut out, pure and simple, 3 to 0.

Four hits scattered into three innings were the best the Catholics could do with Southpaw Reed's delivery. Two of these came in the second inning and the Catholics came precariously near a score. With one cut Fagula doped one out for a single and Wheeler walked. Brusa singled to right and Fagula tried to score but was caught. After that the Catholics never got nearer a score than second base.

With the game, tight at all times the Baptists had to squeeze in their three runs in one inning, the fourth. Lindsay, first up, waited until four wide ones had passed. Then Scissors McIlvaine laid a beaut in front of the plate and was thrown out. Allshouse followed lengthy John's example by laying one down, and while Pieper and some more were arguing with the ball, got on first base. Lindsay came in, and Morris played the game by getting chased between first and second. Then Allshouse tried the delayed steal, and successfully pulled it off. Morris after resting on second a moment to take cognizance of affairs took third on a wild heave of Fagula's and on Kelley's error trotted the rest of the way. Score:

Baptists	R	H	P	A	E
Scheiler, 2	0	0	1	2	1
Nutt, l	0	1	1	0	0
Haywood, 3	0	1	0	0	0
Lindsay, s	1	0	2	2	0
McIlvaine, 1	0	1	6	0	0
Allshouse, r	1	1	1	1	0
Moris, m	1	1	2	0	0
Mason, c	0	0	8	0	1
Reed, p	0	0	0	1	0
Total	3	5	21	6	2

Catholices	R	H	P	A	E
Oates, l	0	1	0	0	0
Kelley, 2	0	0	2	2	1
Deitz, s	0	0	1	1	0
Mossioux, 1	0	1	5	0	1
F. Buchanan, 1	0	0	1	0	0
Pieper, 3	0	0	1	1	1
Fagula, c	0	1	10	0	2
Wheeler, r	0	0	0	0	0
Brusa, m	0	1	0	0	0
Condon, m	0	0	0	0	0
Beno, p	0	0	1	3	0
Total	0	4	21	7	5

Baptists ....0 0 0 3 0 0 0—3
Catholics ....0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Two base hit—McIlvaine. Stolen bases—Nutt, Allshouse 2, Morris 2, Kelley, Fagula. Sacrifice hit—McIlvaine. Struck out—By Reed 7, by Beno 9. Bases on balls—Off Reed 5, off Beno 2. Umpires—Byland and Mathias.

Charleroi Church League

Yesterday's Results

Baptists, 3 Catholics, 0

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Episcopals	4	1	800
Lutherans	3	1	750
Catholics	4	2	667
First Pres.	2	2	500
W. A. Pres	2	3	400
Baptists	2	3	400
Christians	2	4	334
Methodists	1	4	200

Games Next Week

Monday
Catholics vs. First Pres.

Tuesday
Baptists vs. Methodists

Wednesday
Baptists vs. First Pres.

Thursday
Episcopals vs. W. A. Pres.

Friday
Lutherans vs. Christians

BASEBALL BINGLES

Beno pitched some ball, too, by the way. The Baptists only got five hits off his delivery.

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Bunting by the Baptists got the Cthollcs a trifle atmospheric.

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By mistake Jolliffe was credited with an error in the box score of the Christian—Washington Avenue game Jolliffe not only fielded his game clearly, but pitched jim-dandy ball in the bargain.

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Reed certainly deserves credit for the way he handled the heavy hitters. Imagine "Mutts" Deitz striking out three times out of four at bat.

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With John McIlvaine to coach Capt. Herbert Mason certaily has his team working in good shape.

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The game last night easily takes rank as one of the best and most interesting of the season.

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Scissors McIlvaine hit one for two bags on the first ball thrown to him the first time up. The next time at bat he sacrificed.

STAR THEATRE

Fallowfield Ave. Charleroi

PROGRAM TODAY

1—FAIR DENTIST
2—COL. E. D. BAKER, 1st CALF
3—COME UNTO ME

Three reels of high class photo plays changed every day.
Matinee Daily 2—4:30 P. M. Saturday, 1—4:30 P. M.
Doors open promptly every evening 6 P. M.
Admission just 5c TOM B. COWAN Mgr.

LOCAL MENTION

H. C. Hepler, C. J. Mathews, Wm Gwynn and W. C Walters made an automobile trip to Bentleyville, Beallsville, Centerville and Brownsville last evening.

Miss Mary Ailes Freer of San Francisco, Cal., is visiting Miss Eleanor Ailes of Meadow avenue.

Ellis Allman and C. F. Feed will leave Monday for Seattle, Wash., where they will spend about six weeks.

Charles Nicholas has left for his home in England.

Miss Sarah Sields, of Charleroi, the efficient stenographer for Attorney Oliver S. Scott at Donora, is having two weeks' vacation which she is spending at Atlantic City. Miss Romala Anderson, of Charleroi is relieving Miss Shields.

Mrs. A. C. Peterson, of Homestead was a visitor here today.

Lawrence Avanzina, who has been a guest of Louis Goazioux, editor of L'Union des Travalleurs, has left for Holland.

Miss Mary Chester, who has been atending school at Bethany College has returned home.

Miss Viola Darby who has been engaged in millinery work at New Brighton has returned home.

S. R. Hawkins is spending the day in Pittsburg.

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

Epicsopal.

Corner of Sixth and Lookout avenue. Trinity Sunday. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8 Sunday school and Bible classes at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject, "The Doctrine of the Trinity." Evening prayer and address at 7:30. Subject,"Confirmation." All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, pastor.

First Christian.

Bible school at 9:45. Communion and preaching at 11. Sermon topic. "A Study of the Spirit." All who have part in evening program will meet at 2:30. At 7:30 o'clock Children's Day will be observed. The Christian Crusader is the title of the program. Minister, V. G. Hostetter.

Methodist Episcopal.

Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship and sermon at 10:45. Topic, "A Great Church's Excellencies and Defects." Junior Epworth League at 2. Public worship and sermon at 7:45 Topic, "Achan's Sin and Doom." Mid week-service Wednesday at 7:45 A cordial welcome given to all. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

Baptist.

Children's Day exercises will be observed at 7:45 o'clock in the evening Rev. Sloan will preach in the morning at 11 o'clock. Sunday School at 9:30.

First Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching service at 11. The morning offering is for the Board of Church Erection. Reverse side of envelop used. Junior C. E. at 2:15. Senior C. E. at 6:45. Children's Day services will be held at the usual evening hour of preaching service. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Washington Ave. Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45, preaching service at 11:00, Junior C. E. at 2:30, Senior C. E. at 7:00. Rev. Frederick Brown of Lansing, Mich., will preach in the morning and will make a short talk in the evening at the Children's Day exercises.

French Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship at 10:30. Public worship at 7. Prayer meting at 7:30. Brotherhood Thursday at 7:45. Everybody welcome. Rev J. E. Charles, Ph. D. pastor.

School Code Provides No Discount for Taxes

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to his assesment. The directors will fix the tax levy in July.

Another provision of the new code is the assessment of every male resident $1 as an ocupation tax. This will catch all the foreigners, who have hitherto been exempt from contributing any tax for the support of the schools. In collecting this occupation tax the colector can in effect garnishee the wages of taxables who do not pay and are employed by others. The new code also requires directors to advertise for bids for supplies exceeding $300.

Report is Made For May

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handled by clerks during May follow:

	Outgoing	Incoming
First class	73,664	62,763
Second class	6,244	25,358
Third class	6.432	13,978
Fourth class	330	1,016
Foreign letters	1,737	1,911
Registered	358	1,068
Miscellaneous	689	1,083
Total	89,454	107,177

It took thecarriers 2,637 minutes to handle first class mail, outgoing and 26,125 minutes to handle the first clas mail, incoming. Other classes took less time thetotal time consumed for the incoming being 49,058 minutes. Time spent in the handling of the outgoing mail matter by the carriers was 2,714 minutes. Each piece was handled twice.

The highest number of handlings each piece of mail received by carriers was 16, this of third class matter. The highest number of handlings by clerks was 11 of both second and third class matter.

Reward Offered.

A reward of $25.00 will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party scratching the plate glass windows in the Masonic Building.

Masonic Building Association.
260-t6

J. M. Fleming's garden hose is guaranteed for two years. 254tf

Classified Ads

WANTED—4 or 5 room house with yard. Apply Operator, Star Theatre. 258-3p

WANTED—Reliable, energetic man to sell our trees both fruit and ornamental, berry bushes, shrubs, roses, vines and bulbs. Permanent position. Outfit furnished free. Write for particulars.

Brown Brothers Company,
Rochester, N. Y.
260t1

FOR SALE—Good piano. A bargain, 712 Seventh street. 255-2w-tf

LOST—Moose ivory watch charm, bearing moose head, with initials, "L. O. O. M." Reward if left at Mail office. 259t2

This Space Is for Sale
at very reasonable rates
? Why not use it to advertise your wares ?